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McCALL'S VICTORY LARGEST IN YEARS

Republican Party Scores Old Time Triumph in State and Town. Mansfield's Plurality Smallest in Boston Since 1900. McCall's Majority 90,000.

The election of last Tuesday, while not a presidential election, yet was attended by many striking and interesting facts. There were surprises in state and national issues as seen by the returns. Massachusetts voiced its approval of Governor McCall's administration by re-electing him governor by a majority of 90,000 over Mansfield, Democratic candidate. Lieutenant Governor Calvin Coolidge was returned by the handsome majority of 102,000. Mansfield carried Boston by 3797. The Anti-Aid amendment, a new issue brought out by the Constitutional Convention, was accepted by the majority of 75,000.

Outside the state there were some sweeping changes. The mayoralty contest in New York City gave Tammany the reign of municipal government by electing Judge Hylan with a majority of 142,796. Much interest was attached to this election as Mayor Mitchell had given the city an excellent administration. In New York State, suffrage won by a majority of 80,000, while in Ohio the issue was turned down.

The election had no local results to interest the voters, but a good off-year vote was cast. For Governor, Samuel McCall, Republican candidate. (Continued on Page 6, Column 6)

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Rev. E. H. Prescott settled his new home, 25 Bartlett street, this week.

Howard Cates, of Camp Devens, was in town on a furlough, recently.

Miss Marion Carroll of North Main street is confined at home by illness.

Dr. Alfred E. Stearns will speak at 8 p.m., Sunday evening, in the Stone Chapel.

James Gorrie has moved his place of residence from Brechin Terrace to Ridge street.

Mrs. M. L. Anderson of 36 Salem street, is spending the winter with friends in Illinois.

The Knights of Good Council of St. Augustine's Church, will meet to-night in the vestry at 7.30.

Robert Hutchison has returned to Canada after a furlough from the Canadian Army Service Corps.

Don't forget the Hurdy Gurdy party in the town hall, November 16, for Andover's enlisted men's benefit.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Abbott of Ballardvale will leave soon for Deland, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Baptist Church packed a barrel this week, for colored children in the South.

Andover Comfort Committee beg to acknowledge contributions from Miss Esther W. Smith and Dr. Malcolm B. McTernan.

William Buchan, who is a member of the Naval Reserve at Newport, R. I., has been assigned to the commissary department.

Paul Wood of Reading, now employed by Smith and Manning, has rented the Richardson house in the rear of Maple avenue.

Rev. William E. Lombard of Haverhill, formerly pastor of the Baptist Church, was shaking hands with friends in town Thursday.

The Burns committee of Clan Johnston will meet Monday evening in Abbott Village Hall, to make further arrangements for the big concert.

Dr. and Mrs. James R. Fuller have closed their house on Central street for the winter. Their address will be 2025 Hillier Place, Washington, D. C.

A very successful rummage sale was held at the Guild House last Tuesday afternoon. The articles were donated by a former resident of the town.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Clan Johnston were privileged to hear an interesting talk by Robert Hutchison on Camp Life in Canada, at a recent meeting.

L. B. Scheide, P. A. '16, writes from France, September 8, of his experiences in being gassed, but is recovering. Mr. Scheide was the Pot-Pouri artist for his class.

Gen. Wm. F. Bartlett W. R. C., will be inspected next Tuesday night by Mrs. Anna K. Day of Bradford, in the G. A. R. hall. A large attendance is urged.

Mrs. Evelyn Reed Ahern and her boys, Walter and Morris, are spending a week at the Phillips Inn. Mrs. Ahern addressed the Mothers' Club, Wednesday afternoon.

The monthly meeting of the Farther Lights Society of the Baptist Church will be held next Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Clair W. Norton, 117 Elm street.

Major Robert Davy, military instructor in Phillips Academy, has been secured for an address by the South Church Men's Club at the next meeting, November 16.

The annual roll call and supper of the Baptist church was held Wednesday evening. A large attendance of the members were present and a delightful time was reported.

The fire alarm wire has been changed over on High street this past week. New wire has been run and the location of Box 53 has been changed from A. M. Colby's to the electric light pole directly opposite.

About seventy of the boys and girls of the town, have signified their intention of attending evening schools in Lawrence. The school committee voted to reimburse those attending, not to exceed \$10.00 each.

The Boston-Lawrence Despatch started local express business this week between Andover and Boston, and S. F. Shattuck will have charge of the Andover office. Orders can be left at Wright's Express former office on Park street.

The public will be interested in the sale of an old Andover business, November 17, when Rogers and Angus will offer for sale the Jewelry business of Frank E. Whiting, on Main street. Price asked is \$4500. The business has been well known in Andover for fifty years.

The Royal Quartette of New York has been secured by Clan Johnston for the Burns concert. The following noted singers comprise the quartette: Theodore Martin, tenor; Emerson Williams, baritone; Miss Florence Mulholland, contralto; and Miss Savage, soprano. The McLaughlin sisters, well-known international dancers, are also on the program.



A TRIBUTE TO THE FLAG

I have seen the glories of art and architecture and of river and mountain. I have seen the sunset on the Jungfrau and the moon rise over Mont Blanc. But the fairest vision on which these eyes rested was the flag of my country in a foreign port. Beautiful as a flower to those who love it, terrible as a monster to those who hate it, it is the symbol of the power and the glory and the honor of one hundred millions of Americans.—George F. Root

Rev. E. Victor Bigelow read a letter Sunday morning at the service, from Paul Cheney.

Punchard plays its annual football game with Exeter to-morrow afternoon in Exeter.

Remember that November 15, next Thursday, is the last day when you can send Christmas boxes to the soldier boys.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the Academy church on Tuesday, November 13, at 3.30 p.m., at Mrs. Stackpole's.

Prof. John Winthrop Platter of Andover Theological Seminary, Cambridge, will lecture on the "Reformation" next Sunday evening in the Free Church.

Rev. and Mrs. Francis Howe Johnson left town on Tuesday for Washington, D. C., where they will spend the winter at "The Portland", Vermont avenue.

The members of the Baptist Church raided the house in which their new pastor is to live, last week, and left a goodly number of articles for their comfort this fall and winter.

The C. E. meeting of the Free Church was held last Sunday evening, by Everett Otis. The chairs were arranged in a semi-circle with the leader's chair at the center of the opening.

The C. E. of the Baptist Church held a social Monday evening. A business meeting was held before the social. A large number was present and a most enjoyable time was reported.

The Indian Ridge Rebekah Lodge held a penny social last Monday night. A large number attended and entered heartily into the games arranged by the committee. Refreshments were served.

Thomas Platt Jr., was home on a furlough from Friday until Monday, with his parents. On returning Monday, to Bumpkin Island, he was transferred to Eastport, Me., the Naval base of District No. 1.

Baroness Frances Huard (author of "My Home on the Field of Honor"), who spoke in the Stone Chapel last year, is scheduled to lecture in Trinity Church, Lawrence, next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Andover people will be glad to hear her again.

A party of boys who have excelled in their class-work at the South Church Sunday-School, for the month of October, attended "The Man Who Stayed at Home", Colonial Theatre, Lawrence, during the past week, as guests of Louis B. Torrey of Punchard avenue.

Frank Petty of Ballardvale has enlisted in the signal division of the Aviation Corps and left Monday to report at Fort Slocum, N. Y. He will be remembered as a graduate of Punchard High and active in base-ball circles.

A delegation of Sunday School workers from the Free Church, went in automobiles to Malden last Tuesday night to attend a session of the "School of Religious Education" which is being held one evening each week in that city. The visitors are enthusiastic over the interest and the value of the lectures.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Kenneth C. Foster of Camp Devens, visited friends in town Monday.

Mrs. Horace Hale Smith of Lupine road, is in New York at present.

Five citizens attended the coal hearing in the town house, Monday evening.

Rev. Fr. William J. Donovan is visiting in Long Island for a few days.

The appointment of acting sergeant has been given to Alexander M. Ness, at Camp Devens.

The Ladies' Aid society of the West Parish, meets this afternoon at the parsonage.

Rev. William P. Fisher of Londonderry, N. H., was in town Tuesday, to cast his vote.

President Brownell of Northland College spoke in the South Church, Wednesday evening.

The initiatory degree of the I. O. O. F. of the Andover Lodge No. 230, was worked last Wednesday evening.

All matter for publication, news items or stories, should be in the Townsman office not later than Thursday noon.

Corporal Edward Partridge of Co. L, located at Westfield, is visiting his friends in town during a short furlough.

The friends of Thomas P. Dea, Harold L. Cates, and Augustine E. Conroy, will be interested in their promotion to the rank of corporal.

C. Edward Buchan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Buchan, spent Sunday and Monday in town. At present he is a member of Tech Aviation School.

You will want to hear the Phillips Academy orchestra and Glee Club to-night at the Free Church Concert of National Music, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Samuel Locke Thomson, son of Francis Jordan Thomson and Clara Locke Thomson of Baltimore, is a captain in the Engineers Section, Officers' Reserve Corps, of the Army of the United States.

Garfield Lodge K. of P., No. 172, met Monday evening, C. C. George J. York presiding. Routine business was transacted. The Chancellor Commander stated that he is very anxious that a large membership will be present at the next meeting, Monday, November 12, as business of importance must be transacted.

Prof. Walter S. Athearn of Boston University will speak to Sunday School workers at a union meeting in the Free Church Parish house next Friday evening, November 16. All interested are cordially invited to avail themselves of the privilege of hearing one of the most inspiring leaders in religious education.

"Mike" Zullas, who went to Camp Devens, September 21, was named as one of the demonstrators by the officers to show the men in the 302nd Machine Gun Battalion how to cook in the open, under difficulties. The demonstration took place last Monday and was very interesting to all the boys. Zullas formerly cooked for the students at Phillips Academy.

Ford for Sale

My Ford automobile, which has not changed hands since it was built, is for sale for one hundred and twenty-five dollars. On almost the last occasion when I used it, I drove it from my house to the centre of Ayer in an hour and five minutes. The connecting rods are a bit loose. These can be tightened when desired without taking the engine down. No other repairs need be made. The rear end and transmission have been overhauled recently. A new top was made by Mr. Colby in Andover this spring, when the car was last painted. Prospective purchasers should consult Messrs. Myerscough and Buchan.

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ANDOVER MOTHERS' CLUB

Inspiring Address By a Former Resident of the Town. Graphic Story of the "Invisible Foe" at the Field of Marne. Courage in Service Depicted.

There was a large gathering at the Samuel Jackson school Wednesday afternoon to meet Mrs. Evelyn Reed Ahern of England and Miss Mary Scott of Ballardvale, who were teachers in the kindergarten together in the John Dove school and who were instrumental in getting mothers interested in meeting in the schoolroom to study child welfare.

In introducing the speaker, Mrs. Feeney referred to the first year of the club when it was in the charge of the kindergarten, and gave a message of welcome to former members present, many of whom were charter members.

Mrs. Ahern spoke of schools in England and her work on the School Board of Liverpool. She told how she was finally able to get her passport to America with her two little sons, and gave many stories about the war, among them the thrilling story of the "invisible foe" at the battle of the Marne. The food problems of England were spoken of and the stories of courage, self-sacrifice and hardship brought vividly to the minds of those present the meaning of war.

Mrs. Elander reported that the sum of \$71 was cleared recently when the Mothers' Club had charge of the Colonial theatre. The mothers voted to (Continued on page 8, Column 3)

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BOSTON THEATRES

COPLEY

A new record for long runs is being established by "The Man Who Stayed at Home," at the Copley Theatre. With its performance next Monday evening it will begin its twenty-third week. Other plays have, but longer before the Boston public, remained longer before the Boston public, but they have been acted by visiting companies. Never before has a play been given in a Boston playhouse for so long a period by a company of resident players. It may also be worth noting that a large part of the run of "The Man Who Stayed at Home" was during the summer, when the public is supposed to take but little interest in theatres.

The interest in "The Man Who Stayed at Home" is, however, being continuous. It is still attracting large audiences, and it will therefore be acted by the Henry Jewett Players till further notice. To the company is due no small share of its success, and the management has received the testimony of many patrons who have seen performance after performance because they enjoyed both the play and its acting. Seats are now on sale two weeks in advance, and they may be procured at the box office, at Filene's or Jordan's, or ordered by telephone. The scale of prices is from 25 cents to \$1.50, the war tax being paid by the management.

TREMONT

"Turn to the Right" at the Tremont Theatre—a play with a hundred laughs and heart-thrills—is the one play out of a season you can't afford to miss. The famous comedy, by Winchell Smith and John E. Hazzard, just now the sensation of New England, is the tenderest, sweetest story of mother-love and young romance ever put in a play, with all the ardor and feeling that have made the appeal of "The Music Master" and "The Old Homestead," and with a clever, up-to-the-minute plot of American adventure and enterprise beside, full of new angles and surprises, with dramatic force in the story to hold the audience tense with interest from act to act.

"Turn to the Right" has already made a fortune for its producers and played to over two million people the past year. It has literally reached the heart of the public with the homelike touch of nature in "Ma" Bascom's motherhood; and the irresistible realism of the Bascom kitchen where "Ma" Bascom makes the peach jam that makes the fortune of everybody in the play, has no duplicate on the stage—complete to the last detail of the preserving kettle and the kitchen pump that pumps real water.

This is the play that has been filling the Tremont Theatre with laughter and applause for the past ten weeks, bringing seasoned Boston theatregoers to the play again and again, to find new laughs and thrills at every performance of "Turn to the Right," with its splendid original cast, direct from its 54-week run at the Gaiety Theatre, New York, with Ruth Chester, Lucy Cotton, Alice Hastings, Jessie Glendinning, Peggy Boland, Forrest Winant, W. E. Mehan, Dwight Newing, Edwin Nelson, Sam Reed, Harry Humphreys, Jason Robards and Al Sincoff.

The season of "Turn to the Right" at the Tremont Theatre, is a limited one. The curtain rises evenings precisely at 8 o'clock and the performance ends at 10:30 p.m. Matinees are given on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 2 o'clock, and a special matinee is announced for Thanksgiving Day.

SHUBERT

It is with pardonable pride that the management of the Shubert Theatre announces the engagement of the "Show of Wonders," the big Winter Garden wonder show, said to be the greatest fun, fun and music show ever produced on the American stage, now at that theatre for a limited engagement. The second big week begins next Monday, November 12.

This huge extravaganza, the twentieth of its kind to be produced by the famous New York temple of laughter and song, has been most fittingly named the "Show of Wonders," for it is a truly wonderful show. Cast, scenic equipment, costumes, comedy and music are all the very acme of theatrical perfection, while the magnitude of this mammoth extravaganza makes one marvel at the extremes of modern theatrical stupendousness.

There are two gigantic acts and fifteen scenes of regal splendor, ranging from the rustic simplicity of a pastoral setting in the wooded fastness of the Adirondack Mountains to the barbaric interior of a gorgeous Burmese Temple in the Mystic Far East, and including a fashionable bathing beach, the interior of a Pullman sleeping car, the corridor of a billion-dollar New York hotel and an Oriental Bazaar. And the greatest of all these realistic stage settings is the famous "Submarine F-7," a graphic reproduction of the interior of an undersea fighting craft in action. This is positively the most thrilling stage picture ever seen in any entertainment and it faithfully depicts an engagement between an American "sub" and an enemy fleet. Through a cleverly arranged periscope the audience sees the destruction by the U-Boat of a huge superdreadnaught and the final difficulty of the undersea fighting craft ending with one of the most thrilling and dramatic effects ever seen on the stage.

And as for cast. One marvels how a producer can pay the combined salaries of such a pretentious stellar aggregation as the one handling the principal roles of the "Show of Wonders." These include such names to conjure with as George Monroe, Eugene and Willie

Howard Marilyn Miller, Tom Lewis, Sidney Phillips, White and Clayton, Ernest Hale, Dan Quinlan, Edmund Makalif, Arthur Davis, Edmund Mulcahey, Adele Ardley, Patsie O'Hearn, Virginia Smith, Myrtle Victorine and Irene Zolar. And there is a chorus! Such a chorus!

PLYMOUTH

William Faversham will present Bernard Shaw's latest comedy success, "Misalliance," at the Plymouth Theatre for two weeks only, beginning next Monday, November 12, with a notable cast, including Maclvn Arbuckle, Katharine Kaelred, Elizabeth Risdon, George Fitzgerald and others. "Misalliance" is now playing at the Broadhurst Theatre in New York City, where it has been the greatest comedy success of the early season, scoring one of the most emphatic hits Bernard Shaw has had in America.

The play is well-known to Shavian admirers through its published form. Though written in one act, it is acted in three. "Misalliance" tells of John Tarleton, a hugely successful manufacturer of underwear, who has a daughter, Hypatia. She groans under the lack of excitement and wants to get married, but so far has not found a man who combines brains and physical attraction, so she has compromised on a son of the aristocracy, who is all brains and no body. Tarleton's son is a conventional staid Englishman and his wife is a delightful mid-Victorian creature. Into this house drops Joey Percival an aviator, and Lina, a Polish acrobat-artist. Joey, being handsome and intelligent, is just the man Hypatia has been waiting for and she loses no time to set in pursuit of him. Lina is proposed to by every man in the house except Percival, who is far too busy evading Hypatia to think of Lina. Complications are added by the appearance of Julius Baker, whose mother was an old love of Tarleton's. The son proposed to kill Tarleton and then himself.

The fun of "Misalliance" rises out of the brilliant, scintillating lines and the humorous situations.

Germany Plotting Against Denmark

Details have reached London of a German plan to attain ascendancy after the war in Denmark by ceding to Denmark a small strip of former Danish territory in North Schleswig in return for a large sum of money, and, presumably, also, certain economic and commercial concessions. It is suggested by the Danish Liberal Hovedstadten that the sum of money involved is that which Denmark received from the United States as payment for the Danish West Indies. This newspaper strongly denounces the plot which would not only rob Denmark of that money, but would give Germany a hold on Denmark which would make Denmark economically and nationally a dependency of Germany.

The Hovedstadten's editorial in part is as follows: "An arrangement of this kind, namely the cession of North Schleswig on German initiative, just now, at the most critical period of the war, entails the greatest possible danger for the Danish people. A sum of money—the West Indian millions—is mentioned. Germany probably wants not only that sum of money, but something even more valuable, namely, our friendship and good-will. For what? Denmark is, by reason of her geographical position, a natural ally port for the isolated German empire. A flood of German traders and of German money and German capitalists will inundate our country and through it find vent for Germany's industry and trade. We shall become economically a German dependency."—Boston Transcript.

Grouch and Slouch

The grouch is a decidedly popular figure nowadays. He is the man who wins a commission. Disagreeable as he may be in the office, in the training camp, his stern demeanor attracts the attention of the powers that be. The namby-pamby, pleasant-voiced person does not easily learn to rap out his orders with the action of a steel rat trap, however great his book-learning may be. There must be a streak of grouchiness in a good line officer.

But the slouch is in worse repute than ever. Dr. Hibben, in welcoming the Princeton students to the opening of the fall term, referred to the letter he had received from the adjutant general, who gave "slouchiness" of manner, carriage, mind, and disposition as the chief cause of failure to win army commissions. The college president urged that students spruce up generally. It is easy enough to recover from slouchiness of garb and carriage, but it is not easy to make the mind behave. Students should take heed, but the teacher must play his part too. Too much of our teaching is perfunctory and permits the students' minds to browse about at ease.—Philadelphia Ledger.

"Lafayette, Here We Are"

There is one war phrase that deserves to be saved out of the hurry and rush of these crowded days. It was pronounced by General Pershing. When he stood at the tomb of the gallant Frenchman who gave his sword to the American Colonies Pershing placed his wreath on the marble and said in reverent simplicity: "Lafayette, here we are." Could a nation's payment of a historic debt have been more finely phrased?—Chicago Evening Post.

Winter Protection of Young Apple Trees from Mice

During the past winter much damage was done by mice to young apple trees and other fruit trees throughout New England. This damage was in the form of girdling the trunks and roots of the trees. The girdling of the roots is very serious as it is out of sight and may continue for some time before detection. This girdling of trunks and roots is done by the mice which find winter quarters in the grass in the surface, and then burrow into the ground which remains soft under the mulch often used by orchardists to enrich the soil near the trees. The soil does not freeze so deeply under the mulch and the mice burrow into the ground to escape the cold, and meeting the roots, gnaw off the bark.

The only protection against the depredation of the mice is to take away all shelter for them during the winter months. Under this shelter they build nests and remain under the snow, and finding little to eat they attempt to live on the bark of the trunks and roots. This winter home must be removed and the only method is to remove the sod and make the surface of the ground near the trees perfectly smooth and level, so that no shelter can be found by the mice. A perfectly safe cure is to have no mice in the area in which the young orchard is growing and this is possible only by intensive cultivation; but if this is not practical then a space must be plowed each side of the trees, or again, a circle may be freed from sod around the trees. This circle must be at least six feet in diameter and extend three feet on all sides of the tree. The ground must be level and no chance is given to the mice to build nests or remain during the winter months. This plan may be safely tried and nature will take care of the trees in every way.

The severe frosts will not kill the roots if left bare of any mulch.

Shark Meat Next

Shark meat is likely soon to become a table delicacy. Experts of the government Bureau of Fisheries have recently been experimenting to determine its value for food purposes. The director of the government laboratory at Wood's Hole has tested six different species of sharks, served in different ways, and several of the fifty persons who sampled the fish said they were equal to swordfish, the meat being pronounced not only good but of excellent flavor and texture. It is found that shark meat is best salted dry, by the kench method, since in any wet process it has a tendency to develop a disagreeable ammonia smell. The fish is split and the backbone removed in such a way as to leave no parts over two inches in thickness, in order that salt may strike through quickly.—Gloucester Times.

Egg-Producing Feeds for Hens

Fowls not fed any beef scrap or other animal protein laid only ninety eggs during their pullet year compared with 137 eggs from the beef-scrap pens, and 84 compared with 83 in their second year. The eggs of the no-beef-scrap pens cost about 2.2 cents per dozen more to produce the first laying year, but these costs were about equal during the second year. The fowls not fed beef scrap laid very poorly in winter, thus materially reducing the value of their eggs.

Cottonseed meal used in place of beef scrap as a high-protein feed in the ration produced brown or greenish spots on the yolks of the eggs, especially in warm weather, making a considerable proportion of them unfit for market. Eggs were produced more cheaply and at a considerably greater profit on the beef-scrap ration.

Fish meal at \$7 a ton less than beef scrap proved to be a good high-protein feed, which can be used to advantage to replace beef scrap. The fish meal did not in any way affect the flavor or quality of the eggs.

General-purpose fowls allowed to select their own mash constituents ate a dry mash containing about 63 per cent corn meal, 19 per cent beef scrap, 9 per cent bran, and 9 per cent middlings. Leghorns ate a mash of about 66 per cent corn meal, 26 per cent beef scrap, and 4 per cent each of bran and middlings. No better results were obtained by this method of feeding than where the ground grains were mixed together in a mash.

Good mashes, as indicated by these experiments, may be made of 66 per cent corn meal, 26 per cent beef scrap, and 4 per cent each of bran and middlings, or 2 pounds of corn meal and 1 pound each of bran, middlings, and beef scrap, with a scratch feed in each ration of equal parts by weight of cracked corn, wheat, and oats, which is fed so that the hens receive about equal parts of scratch feed and of mash.

The Leghorns on free range gave a considerably greater egg yield than those confined to a fair-sized yard. This difference was less marked in the general-purpose hens.—Weekly News.

Camouflage Sugar

You may yet get camouflage sugar in your morning coffee, if—
1—The Government does not need the ingredients for high explosives.
2—The Health Department does not object.

Camouflage sugar is 500 times sweeter than honest-to-goodness sugar of commerce. Its present price is \$40 a pound, but then, a pound of camouflage sugar goes a long way, for 14 grains of it equal one pound of ordinary sugar.

Camouflage sugar is known as saccharine, or vice versa, a derivative of coal tar, from which it is distilled. Any manufacturing chemist can, and most of them do, produce saccharine, and if the need arose they could relieve the sugar shortage.

Use for Old Rubber

The following is taken from the Boston Herald:

To the Editor of the Herald: Here are some uses for old automobile tires. Sold to the junk man they are worth but a few cents a pound. But a section nailed to the worn out soles of your walking shoes, which any cobbler can do, though he may need a little persuading, will save at least 50 cents, at the present price of leather taps. I heard an ingenious tradesman tell how he had got a pair of his shoes tapped that way and so I thought I would try it. The cobbler man to whom I made the proposition demurred at first, but I told him I wanted it done and he rather reluctantly agreed to nail them on. The pieces were from a section of an old pair of auto casings which had been kicking around in the cellar for a year or two. The cobbler's charge was 50 cents instead of a dollar. I have walked in the shoes as mended from six to a dozen miles daily for a couple of months, and I call them a success. They show but little wear, they are water-proof, making the wearing of rubbers unnecessary; they are not noisy on pavements or floors, and give a resilient and velvety tread. Every one who owns an automobile has plenty of material on hand for tapping the walking shoes of the family, which will cut down the expense at least one-half, and in some distinct ways give better service. Then the inner tubes that are no longer any good for inflation purposes, cut in cross sections, narrow or wide, as needed, make excellent rubber bands for fastening papers or even bundles, and are much stronger than the ones you buy already cut. The latter have a fashion of coming apart where the ends are joined, after you have used them but a short time. But the bands from the inner tubes will hold till the cows come home and then some more.

N. S. Hoagland.

School Examination Answers

Some amusing examples of American school children's "howlers" are provided by recent examination papers in New York. Here are a few choice specimens:

A vacuum is a large empty space where the pope lives.

In India a man out of a cask may not marry a woman out of another cask.

Elaine gave Lancelot an omelet before he departed for the tournament.

He succeeded because he had entry price (enterprise).

Tennyson wrote "In Memorandum."

Parallel lines are the same distance all the way and do not meet unless you bend them.

An angle is a triangle with only two sides.

The qualifications for citizenship are that you must be neutral born or made.

Gravitation is that which if there were none we should all fly away.

Louis XVI was galled during the French Revolution.

A mountain range is a large-sized cook (cooking) stove.

Horse power is the distance one horse can carry a pound of water in an hour.

Guerilla warfare is where men ride on guerillas.—Ex.

Dr. Steinmetz, the big expert for the General Electric company, foresees a time when electricity will be so cheap that not only will every home be heated by it and all the home washing be done by it, but every American will have an electric motor car with nobody charging for "juice."

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

NORTH ANDOVER

A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Poor of High street.

The Waverly Circle will hold a public whist party to-night. A business meeting will be held previously.

Lieut. Maurice C. Casey of Stevens street has been given a temporary assignment at Washington, D. C.

Herbert Winning of 17 Phillips court, who recently enlisted in the 249th Canadian Regiment, is now at Quebec.

Miss Mildred H. Foster, Johnson High School 1917, has secured a position in the office of the Brightwood Mfg. Co.

The selectmen met Monday night. The contractor, Louis H. McAloon, was appointed appraiser of town buildings and contents.

Miss Agnes Godfrey of Third street has entered the Long Island Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., to train for special Red Cross work.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. Paul's church will hold a fair, entertainment and dance in parish hall, to-night. Candy, aprons and fancy articles will be sold.

The Girls' Club of the Trinitarian Congregational church met Monday night with Mrs. Harry D. Rockwell, 74 Prescott street, to sew for the Red Cross.

At a meeting of the North Andover Veteran Firemen's Association, Tuesday night, one member was elected and seven applications received. Timothy J. Healey, Wentworth Lewis and Melvin H. Collier were chosen a committee for a smoke talk Saturday night, December 1.

Miss Annie L. Duemmling, who is soon to wed Albin A. Renner of 2 Prospect court, Lawrence, was given an aluminum shower this week at her home on Maple avenue, by intimate friends. There was a mock marriage and an entertainment. Refreshments were served.

At the Grange meeting Tuesday, the following was the subject of debate between the West Boxford and North Andover Grange: "Resolved, that the price of farm products should be according to an eight-hour working day for the farmer if that is the standard of other occupations. The negative side, taken by North Andover, won. Mrs. Arthur Farnham, Miss Caroline Moody and Ernest Souther, represented the winners.

Four men were sent away Saturday by the local recruiting officers who are stationed at the postoffice. The men sent are: Leon J. Comeau, 105 Kingsbury avenue, Bradford, Aviation Section, Signal Corps; Arthur J. Vigue, 256 Main street, Waterville, Me., 21st Engineer Brigade; Archie E. Roberts, 5 Bixby avenue, North Andover, Coast Artillery, National Guard; Raymond E. Lewis, 1 Clarendon street, North Andover, Coast Artillery, National Guard.

METHUEN

Fred Moss of Arnold street has returned from Baltimore, Md.

To-night at Second P. M. church a drama and social will be held.

George W. Richardson and family have moved from Arnold street to Spruce street, Lawrence.

Miss Anna Hamel of Union street was operated on for appendicitis at the General hospital recently.

The C. E. society of Baptist church will hold a social in the vestry to-night. Each member will invite a friend.

Frank Keyes of Stevens street, leaves shortly for Woonsocket, R. I., where he has secured a responsible position.

Christopher H. Rogers of this town has been named administrator of the estate of Nellie Ellis of Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marlowe of Providence, R. I., have been spending a few days with friends on Arnold street.

The initiation degree was conferred on several candidates at the meeting of Hope Lodge, I. O. O. F., Tuesday night.

John Winward, Francis Woodburn and John Slater of Oakland avenue, have returned home from a hunting trip in New Hampshire.

Selectman Rushton made another trip to Ayer Thursday and carried many articles to the local men now at camp there.

The sophomores of the local high school will hold a party this evening, the proceeds of which will help buy a Liberty bond.

Tickets are selling well for the concert and ball of Methuen Police Association to-night in Nevins Memorial hall. The proceeds will go to Red Cross and soldiers and sailors of Methuen.

On Friday evening, November 16, the members of Co. L, State Guard, will conduct a concert and ball in Nevins hall. There will be an entertainment, followed by dancing. The proceeds are to be used to establish a fund for the company.

The Lowell district convention of Primitive Methodist Young People's societies meets to-morrow at St. George church. The Emmanuel church will be represented. There will be out of town speakers, a special musical program, and a supper.

The ladies of the Forest street Union church are making extensive plans for their annual fair and entertainment to be held at the church, November 15. The committee is trying to make this the most successful ever held. It will be held afternoon and evening.

Members of Methuen grange, P. of H., are looking forward with anticipation to the Old Timers' dance which is to be held in the town hall November 16, under the auspices of the grange. Many from out of town as well as those in town, are expected to attend.

The Election

Methuen voted to elect a charter as a city Tuesday by 572 majority. The returns from the town follow:

GOVERNOR

Hayes, S. L.	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Lawrence, P.	12	2	14
Mansfield, D.	229	48	277
McCall, R.	384	105	489
McCarty, S.	14	2	16

LIENANT GOVERNOR

Coolidge, R.	408	109	517
Hale, D., P. Prog.	179	43	222
McBride, S.	19	4	23
Oelcher, S. L.	9	0	9

SECRETARY OF STATE

Brown, P.	16	2	18
Langtry, R.	393	107	500
Paulsen, S. L.	7	3	10
Reed, D.	181	42	223
Sproule, S.	18	2	20

TREASURER

Burrill, R.	400	408	508
Lovett, P.	6	1	7
Murphy, S.	22	3	25
O'Sullivan, D.	182	40	222
Peterson, S. L.	32	3	35

AUDITOR

Choquette, D.	181	39	220
Cook, R.	388	108	496
Craig, S. L.	13	0	13
Peck, S.	19	4	23
Smith, P.	8	6	14

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Attwill, R.	406	107	513
Auchter, P.	5	1	6
Henry, S.	19	9	28
Maher, S. L.	10	0	10
Quincy, D.	171	43	214

COUNCILLOR

Clausen, S.	64	0	73
Tarr, R.	422	127	569

SENATOR

Bramhall, S.	50	7	66
Tetler, R. D.	516	136	652

REPRESENTATIVE

Gleason, R.	462	123	585
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COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Kimball, B.	456	131	587
Spaulding, S.	71	11	82

CLERK OF COURTS

Carens, D.	156	31	187
Frost, R.	418	119	537
Wetherbee, S.	97	4	101

AMENDMENT NO. 1 (Absent Voters)

Yes	367	101	468
No	118	33	151

AMENDMENT NO. 2 (Anti-Aid Bill)

Yes	363	91	454
No	230	55	285

AMENDMENT NO. 3 (Distribution of Food)

Yes	491	108	599
No	94	20	114

LAWRENCE

Charles Kent of Turner Centre Creamery Co. wishes it known that he is not the person of the same name who appeared as a defendant in District court this week.

Reserve Officers John F. Hickey and William D. Fitzgerald are doing regular work under Commissioner Dadogan. The former is on the early shift and the latter on the midnight shift.

James Mahoney of this city has been appointed trainmaster of the Eastern Division of the Boston & Maine. He will have his headquarters at Salem. The local man took up his new duties Monday.

The insurance and real estate business of the late James S. Conlin has been purchased by Harry Nesbitt and Daniel C. Smith who have formed a partnership under the firm name of Nesbitt and Smith.

Sergt. John J. Dowd of Co. F, 101st Regiment, has written to Mayor Hurley, asking him to raise funds to send tobacco for the local boys in France. They report that American "smokes" are very scarce and the foreign smoking material impossible.

Edgar Grey Pratt, who died Saturday, was one of the oldest graduates of the Lawrence High School. He graduated from the local institution in 1859. Mr. Pratt wrote a very interesting article on the teachers of the old days for the paper published in connection with the alumni reunion in 1912.

Major Harry Nevins of the Eighth Mass. Infantry has been detailed by Colonel Perry to investigate the discharge claims of two privates formerly in the 104th regiment who were transferred to his command. One of the men is mentally deranged and the other suffered the loss of a leg in an accident.

The 15th Regiment State Guard Drum corps voted unanimously to turn out for the boxing carnival in the Opera house, Friday, November 16, to raise funds for the Christmas dinners for the soldiers. They will parade on Essex street and will occupy seats on the stage, furnishing music during the intermissions.

John J. McDermott, a former member of the Hurley baseball team, who is with the American Expeditionary forces in France has written a letter to his sister in which he says the trip across the water was very rough and resulted in much sea-sickness among the men. He left Halifax the last of last month and landed at an English port nine days later.

Major Frank L. Donovan of this city is taking a course of instruction in a military school "somewhere in France." He was named as one of the representatives of the 101st (old fighting ninth) regiment to attend the school, which is similar to the one he attended last summer at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. During his absence from the 101st Lt. J. William Mahoney of Lawrence is acting major.

The chamber of commerce was represented at a dinner tendered in Boston Tuesday by the Boston Chamber to Sir Stephenson Kent, H. W. Garrod, G. H. Bailie, and Capt. Cyril Asquith, commissioners sent here by the ministry of munitions of Great Britain, by G. S. Foss and George H. Simonds of the Brightwood mills, and Robert G. Masterton of the Mills Machine company. The dinner was served at 1 o'clock at Hotel Brunswick.

Supt. Bernard M. Sheridan of the schools, has distributed to pupils and parents, leaflets for Safety First for both. The principals of the schools have been instructed to discuss with the children the necessity of care in the public streets to prevent accidents. The rules caution the children to be watchful in crossing streets and in their play. Parents are warned to teach their children what the streets are for, how to use the streets and how to use the street cars. It is better to be safe than sorry.

"With Those Who Wait" will be the subject of the lecture by Baroness Frances Wilson Huard Monday evening, November 12, at Trinity church. Baroness Huard, author of "My Home in the Field of Honor," lectured in this city last winter. At that time her audience was a large one and appeal for hospital work in France was a strong one. The Baroness' own home has been converted into a hospital and she herself was engaged in the care of the sick and wounded before coming to this country on this lecture tour. The lecture is being given under the auspices of the Traveler's club and is free to all. A collection will be taken for relief work in France.

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A New and Valuable Food

For full particulars concerning the soy bean, says the New York Evening Post, it would perhaps be best to consult the natives of China and Japan or else the Italian army. It seems like a long jump from the soy bean fields of China to the battle-front of the Isonzo, but that is the route that the only respectable lot of soy beans yet shipped to the United States has taken. It appears that the soy bean, despite the fact that it is the world's champion all-around food, did not leap into instant popularity on its arrival here, and so in the course of events it was shipping over to Italy to nourish the boys in the trenches.

Not only is the soy bean the world's champion all-around food—a dish, in fact, that makes a laughing stock of our elaborate course dinners, since it is everything from soup to puts, all rolled into a bean—but it is, so far as is known, the only bean in captivity that grows whiskers, and red ones, at that. Unfortunately, the soy beans selected for exhibition by the department of agriculture have all been shaved, and look as smooth-skinned and sleek as any bean ever mined in Boston town, but for all that, in their natural state the soy beans are found dwelling two to five in a pod, and "covered with a stiff reddish hair."

There are, by actual count, 49 varieties of the soy, or soja bean, and these 49 varieties could easily be grown here and used to keep the great American people alive and well and out of the poor-house, whether meat and eggs and other popular fodder went soaring or not. New York, in fact, has already taken a fancy to one of the innumerable roles in which the red-whiskered bean of China is wont to masquerade. It's the juice of the soy bean that forms the basis of Worcestershire sauce—that indispensable relish which we all insist on having in restaurants, though seldom at home.

And that isn't the only guise in which we know the soy bean. Persons who patronize Chinese or almost Chinese restaurants know that there is an indefinable something that distinguishes everything the Chinese cook. It is the soy bean, the sauce from which is put into nearly everything produced in a Chinese kitchen.

But soy sauce is only a side-line compared with the other activities of the soy bean. Under treatment, the soy bean can be made into butter-milk, oil, breakfast-cereal, crackers, cakes, bread, muffins, pancakes, and a kind of April-fool coffee, which, being free from injurious caffeine, should be just the thing for the nerves of the tired business man. Besides these things there are delicious dishes to be had from roasting, baking, broiling, frying, stew-

School and Office Luncheons

Following are a few suggested basket lunches, designed for the child at school as well as the adult in business, which will make a well-balanced diet:

1. Sandwiches with sliced tender meat for filling, baked apple, cookies, or a few lumps of sugar.
2. Slices of meat loaf or bean loaf; bread, and butter sandwiches; stewed fruit; small frosted cake.
3. Crisp rolls, hollowed out and filled with chopped meat or fish, moistened and seasoned, or mixed with salad dressing; orange, apple, a mixture of sliced fruits or berries; cake.
4. Lettuce or celery sandwiches; cup custard; jelly sandwiches.
5. Cottage cheese and chopped green-pepper sandwiches, or a pot of cream cheese with bread-and-butter sandwiches; peanut sandwiches; fruit; cake.
6. Hard-boiled eggs; crisp baking-powder biscuits; celery or radishes; brown-sugar or maple-sugar sandwiches.
7. Bottle of milk; thin corn bread and butter; dates; apple.
8. Raisin or nut bread, with butter; cheese; orange; maple sugar.
9. Baked bean and lettuce sandwiches; apple sauce; sweet chocolate.

Further information on this subject can be obtained by communicating with the Department of Agriculture Washington, D. C.

Fish News

"The average American housewife seems to believe that the only way fish can be cooked is to fry it," said a well-known Boston cooking teacher the other day. "As a matter of fact, very few fish should ever be fried, and, just now, frying should be entirely eliminated."

"Food Administrator Hoover has asked us to conserve fats, particularly animal fats, and to do this we must give up the practice of frying foods which can be cooked in other ways."

"Instead of frying your steak and haddock, for example, roll them in cornmeal and bake them in the oven. When brown, pour over them a little melted butter."

"It will often be found possible to use stale bread crumbs instead of cornmeal for this. When doing so, pour a little melted butter over the crumbs before dusting the latter over the fish."

"Finally, if you feel you must fry fish, use vegetable oils or fats."

Life of Roosevelt for Boys

There is a life of Colonel Roosevelt being written especially for boys by one of America's foremost authors, Hermann Hagedorn, under Mr. Roosevelt's own direction. This biography is to be published as a book by one of our great publishing houses.

But boys will get the story in advance, in monthly instalments, richly illustrated, in Boys' Life, the Boy Scouts' Magazine. No one really knows as yet just how many marvelous adventures Colonel Roosevelt has had, nor all of the thrilling things that have happened in his tremendously active life.

He has been all over the world, is one of the greatest explorers, he has been repeatedly under fire as a soldier, and in a multitude of ways has been face to face with danger and the severest tests of manhood. Colonel Roosevelt's life is a mine for boys; his new biography for boys is a great literary event which every Scout may look upon with pride because it is an achievement of his own magazine.

Beating a horse with a barbed wire whip; throwing a cat into a blazing furnace; dragging a cow behind a wagon; starving by neglect a herd of forty-five cattle and a hundred hogs; wilfully burning horses to death in a stable; these are among the many atrocities discovered by one or another of the 527 anti-cruelty societies in the United States interested in animal protection in this, the fifty-first year, since Henry Bergh began to touch human hearts in behalf of dumb beasts, says November Boys' Life. Laws of every State will protect a Scout who interferes to protect a dumb animal from cruelty.

True Sign of a Scout

The sign of a Scout is the first two fingers of the hand, spread apart in V-shape. This represents the ears of a wolf, the wolf being considerably the best scout among the animals and best in tracing. This is the old Indian sign, says Dan Beard in Boys' Life for November.

But the wolf is guided by its nose and not by its eyes. The wolf's ears, however, are a great aid to him. The two fingers were used in salute by the Scouts here in America before there was any Scout organization, and until the time when the Scout Movement started in England and the third finger was added by our cousins, and later adopted here by the Boy Scouts of America.

Cure for Anemia

A Scot and an Englishman who were walking down the street together, stopped to purchase a couple of rosy apples. The Englishman, on taking a bite of his immediately began to splutter. "I believe I've swallowed a worm!" he exclaimed.

"Well, well, mon, an' what if ye did?" said the Scot. "I'll put new life into ye!"

The Kaiser's Dream

There's a story now current, tho' strange it may seem,
Of the great Kaiser Bill, and his wonderful dream.
Being tired of the allies, he lay down in bed,
And amongst other things he dreamt he was dead.
And in a fine coffin was lying in state,
With a guard of brave Belgians, who lamented his fate.
On leaving the earth to heaven he went straight,
And arriving up there gave a knock at the gate.
But St. Peter looked out and in voice loud and clear,
Said, "Begone Kaiser Bill, we don't want you here."
"Well," said the Kaiser, "that's very unkind."
I suppose after that I must go to the Devil."
So he turned on his heel and off did he go
At the top of his speed to the regions below.
And when he got there, he was filled with dismay,
When waiting outside he heard Old Nick say:
To his Imps: "Now look here boys, I give you a warning,
I'm expecting the Kaiser down here in the morning.
But don't let him in, for to me it's quite clear,
He's a dangerous man and we don't want him here."
If once he gets in, there'll be no end of trouble,
In fact, I'm afraid he'll corrupt our good morals."
"Oh, Satan, my dear friend," the Kaiser then cried,
"Excuse me for listening while waiting outside,
If you don't admit me, where will I go?"
"Indeed," said the Devil, "I truly don't know."
"Oh, do let me in, I'm weary and cold,"
Said the Kaiser, quite anxious to enter Nick's fold.
Let me sit in a corner no matter how hot."
"No," said the Devil, "most certainly not.
We don't admit people for riches or pelf,
Here are sulphur and matches, make a hell for yourself!"
Then he kicked Wilhelm out and vanished in smoke,
And just at that moment the Kaiser awoke.
He jumped out of bed in a shivering sweat,
And said: "Well that dream I shall never forget.
That I won't go to heaven I know very well,
But it's really too bad to be kicked out of hell!"—Ex.

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Massachusetts Still Leads

The Townsman suggested a week ago that anything less than a 100,000 plurality for Governor McCall would indicate a serious state of mind on the part of the Massachusetts electorate. On the face of a full vote contemplated at that time, the Governor has passed that figure with his plurality approximating 90,000 votes, and Massachusetts people have thus fixed themselves pretty effectually as a clear-headed, high-minded citizenship.

It hasn't been easy for those who are prominent in Republican politics in Massachusetts to allow some of the statements made by the Democratic candidates, led by the peculiar person who has been the party candidate for Governor, to go by without some attention, but the results prove that there is abundant commonsense among Massachusetts voters upon which to rely, and Governor McCall has always shown that he is willing to trust this commonsense of the American people to a marked extent.

Striking as is the splendid vote given to the Governor, evidencing support from not only his own party, but a large amount from opposing parties, equally striking is the defeat of Matthew Hale, with his many labels, by Lieutenant Governor Coolidge. Without taking away one bit from the Lieutenant Governor's strong hold upon the voters of the state and his right to that hold because of his sterling qualities, it is fitting to call attention to the position in which Matthew Hale now finds himself. It would seem almost as if he had passed from the man of many parties to the man of no party, for how in the world the Democrats can again tie him up to their organization is beyond comprehension, as he has even during this campaign allied himself with a movement to form an entirely new party. If he ever was an idol of any substantial number of Massachusetts voters, it would seem as if he now must be looked upon as being seriously shattered and pretty effectually effaced from future political programs in Massachusetts. It is a good job.

Undoubtedly one of the strong factors leading to a support of practically all men holding public office who have done their part fairly well in the momentous times of the present was the old notion of Lincoln's time that it is no part of wisdom to change horses while crossing the stream. When the work had been as well done as Massachusetts work has been by Governor McCall, Lieutenant Governor College, and their associates, partisanship did not succeed very well in asserting itself, and we may well rejoice that the state is not going to yield one whit to the clamor and blatherskite treatment which has been attempted during the campaign just closed.

The campaign has pretty effectually disposed of all sorts of political climbers; the primary took a distinguished Republican who thought he knew better about what the people wanted than they did themselves, and placed him on a very high shelf, and that was well done. The election Tuesday took several other climbers, the Democratic candidate for governor being the chief one, and most effectually removed them from the serious consideration of Massachusetts voters who like to see men of character elevated to responsible positions.

Verily, Massachusetts is a pretty good state after all, and keeps itself pretty well in line when serious tests are called for.

Winchester's Good Sense

We are particularly glad to see the town of Winchester refusing to adopt the town manager plan of government. Theoretically it is an attractive proposition set before the American people, who, without giving very much thought to it, are inclined to look upon government as something to which may be applied fixed principles established by strict business demands. Originally beginning in Dayton, Ohio, because a very rich man in that city was willing to contribute a big sum to work out his theory that business principles should control city governments as they do great business enterprises, the proposition for city and town managers has touched quite a number of communities in the last ten years. The most interesting illustration in Massachusetts is found in the town of Norwood where another rich man, full of hobbies and able and willing to pay for the privilege of riding these hobbies is engaged in the attempt to prove that a town manager for the town of Norwood is wise and full of possible benefits to the community.

In Dayton a result sure to follow in every community is already foreshadowed by the recent election of the Socialist element for they find there that after a while men who believe government contemplates mistakes as well as successes and an opportunity for all the

people governed in a democracy like ours to have a part in government, begin to assert themselves and through the agency of Socialism will assert themselves. We haven't reached that stage in Norwood, and it is not unlikely that some change will be made in the form of government before we do, unless the change does come that provides for an opportunity for every man to be a part and not apart from it. We will find that whatever success comes to the movement that substitutes an efficiency expert for a duly elected official will be a small recompense for the destruction of democracy's best asset, an interest on the part of every man in doing something in the government to which he belongs. For this reason we congratulate Winchester in saying no with pretty good emphasis at the election on Tuesday.

Editorial Cinders

It would be difficult to find anyone figuring in the campaign just closed in Massachusetts who stands out any more strikingly before the people of the state than does Martin M. Lomasney. We have had occasion several times in this column to comment upon that gentleman's rare ability and wonderful capacity for leadership and consideration for government problems. We have heretofore referred to one of his strong traits in going through with any proposition in which he is interested, but he has never had the test put to him equal to that which came upon him at this time as a leader in the adjustment of the disturbing problem associated with sectarian associations, which he felt he had helped to solve by the action of the Constitutional Convention. He found his church divided on the matter and found himself placed in the peculiar position of either going back upon his word and what he had agreed to do, or failing to answer the call from high church officials to whom he owed a certain amount of allegiance. Without a quiver he stuck to his own honest opinions and stood by his own strong position, and the figures that came from that ward when the votes on the anti-aid amendment were counted were a remarkable testimonial to one who is among the very few men who can claim to be leaders in Massachusetts public affairs.

While Winchester was saving no to the plan to take away responsibility from the people for her local government, the town of Methuen was saying yes to the proposition to become a city. Just why Methuen or any other beautiful town like it should want to have a city charter and all the various forms that go with city government, when they can continue to have the democracy of a town meeting, is rather beyond understanding, but our neighbors have so voted and we can only wish them well in their ambitions. They have many things in Methuen that are bound to make them considerable trouble in working out their problem of a satisfactory municipal government, and we miss our guess if the last state is not much worse than the first, in the effort of some of the good people over there to improve local conditions by forsaking the simplicity of town forms for the many intricacies of city methods in community government.

The Baptist Church is giving a hearty welcome to its new pastor, and he must already realize that he is in the home of his friends. The townspeople at large have no less pleasure in taking into the town life a man with the promise for good such as Mr. Prescott brings to his work in Andover.

The report of the special Red Cross fund calls attention to the many ways in which Andover is indebted to Mr. Ripley for success in securing funds of this sort for Andover activities. Certainly we all hope that the increased responsibility coming to him as president of a big Boston bank, is not to make it necessary for him to relinquish any part of his work in Andover affairs.

Saved the Brook

An alarm was sent in this morning at 10:45 and considerable excitement prevailed for a time, because of smoke issuing out of the brook under the Dean building. It was thought the brook was on fire, but it proved that the smoke came from burning leaves on the Swift estate across the street. The covered bridge made an excellent flue for the smoke and it issued out in large volumes, giving the impression that a big blaze was in progress.

Are you planning to hear the concert of National Music in the Free Church Parish house to-night? You will help the Red Cross and get your money's worth by attending.

IN NEW PASTORATE

Rev. E. H. Prescott Preaches His Inaugural Sermon at Baptist Church

A large audience was present at the Baptist church last Sunday morning to greet the new pastor, Rev. E. H. Prescott, formerly of Laconia, N. H. A new feature of welcome to the man who should lead them in spiritual things was the singing of a hymn which voiced their sentiments. As Mr. Prescott came upon the platform the congregation rose and sang the following stanzas:

We bid thee welcome in the name
Of Jesus, our exalted Head:
Come as a servant, so He came,
And we receive thee in His stead.

Come as a shepherd: guard and keep
His fold from hell and earth and sin;
Nourish the lambs and feed the sheep,
The wounded heal, the lost bring in.

Come as a watchman: take thy stand
Upon thy tower amidst the sky;
And when the sword comes on the land
Call us to fight, or warn to fly.

Come as a teacher: sent from God,
Charged His whole counsel to declare;
Lift o'er our ranks the prophet's rod,
While we uphold thy hands with prayer.

Come as a messenger of peace:
Filled with the Spirit, fired with love;
Live to behold our large increase,
And die to meet us all above.

James Montgomery

During the opening exercises Miss Elaine Wetterberg sang a solo, "Rock of Ages."

Mr. Prescott took as his text, Acts 10: 29, 30. "I ask therefore with what intent ye sent for me. Now therefore we are all here present in the sight of God, to hear all things that have been commanded thee of the Lord."

He began by referring to the ties that had been broken the last week as he left his former charge, and while it was difficult to leave, yet he looked upon his call to Andover as from the Lord and expected greater things in his new charge. Three things were to mark his work in Andover with the church. First that he was called of God to the pastorate; second, that he was to preach the gospel, and third, that pastor and people were to be co-laborers in the Master's work.

The preacher has a serious work because called of God to that work. He speaks for God. He is a man with a message. That message is to convince men of sin. The pulpit is not a place for homiletic effort, but the presentation of the plain truth as it is in Jesus.

In this work he would aim to be a pastor, to feed individual souls; a shepherd to lead; a minister to serve. As the Master went about doing good, so it was to be his aim, to serve in every way possible. Then finally, the work between pastor and people was to be a partnership in God's work. The partners were God, the pastor and the people. The pastor cannot do the work of the members of the congregation; neither could they do his work. He advised them not to live in the past or a former pastor, but to look forward to a Golden Age in the history and work of the church. In this his inaugural, Mr. Prescott laid no claims as a wonder worker or that he would make no mistakes, but would solicit their prayers and co-operation in God's work.

A very favorable impression was made by the new pastor and the church expects to take on new life and influence in Andover, under his leadership.

Successful Business Man

The New Haven Evening Register of a recent date gives a flattering account of the business ability of John Duncan, a former North Andover man, and known to many of our townspeople. Mr. Duncan has full charge of the music department of the Gamble-Desmond Co., of New Haven, Conn., and has the reputation of being an active, energetic business man, and is favorably known to many lovers of music in the city. The opening of the new department of music is noticed by the Register which says: "In the business world there is no better asset than the reputation, for being reliable. To be dependable in all things, personal and business-wise, is to have the confidence and trust of the busy public." Honest men and women, 100-point men and women, who can be relied upon—the world cries out for such. They are needed and needed badly."

Red Cross Contributors

Contributions for the Red Cross relief work have been received during the past week from the following:

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Obituary

ANNE ELIZABETH MORSE

A great loss has come to Miss Bailey, principal of Abbot Academy, in the death last Sunday of her very close friend, Miss Anne Elizabeth Morse. Since Miss Bailey came to Andover, Miss Morse has been a frequent visitor at the school and was a friend of many of the teachers and the girls. She had been ill for nearly a year. The summer months were spent with Miss Bailey at the Antoinette Hall Taylor Infirmary, but during the last few weeks she was at the Robert B. Brigham Hospital in Boston, where she died early Sunday morning.

The funeral service was held in the Infirmary on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. C. W. Henry of Christ church and Rev. Frank R. Shipman officiated.

LEWIS EASTMAN

The funeral of Lewis Eastman, formerly of Highland road, was held Wednesday afternoon from the undertaking rooms of Everett Lundgren. Rev. Frederick A. Wilson conducted the services, which were attended by deputations from the local lodge of Oddfellows, of which the deceased was a member, and also from the Lawrence lodge.

Mr. Eastman was forty-one years of age and is survived by his father.

New Officers for King's Daughters

The Courteous Circle of King's Daughters of the South Church, held a meeting Monday evening at the home of Miss Mackeown, Main street. The election of officers for the coming year resulted as follows: Leader, Mrs. Chester D. Abbott; vice-leader, Mrs. Fred G. Cheney; recording secretary, Miss Eva Erving; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harold Veazie; auditor, Miss Florence West; treasurer, Mrs. Burton S. Flagg. It was decided by vote of the meeting not to serve refreshments at future meetings until the food supply was back to normal. Plans for the carol service at Christmas were discussed.

School Committee Meeting

The school committee met Tuesday night and discussed plans for an evening school. About seventy boys and girls had made application for such a school and as the subjects were so varied it was thought wise to send the boys and girls to Lawrence evening school and re-imburse each to the amount of \$10.00.

The following is the financial statement for October:
General Expenses \$ 456.42
Expenses of instruction 5217.92
Expenses of operation 687.24
Maintenance 1048.40
Auxiliary Agencies 369.35

Red Cross Notes

This last month has been a very successful one in the work of the Red Cross at the Guild Headquarters, and 1490 articles have been sent to the Supply Service at 142 Berkeley street, Boston.

The Abbott Village women have done their share at the meetings at the Hillside, under Miss Sprague's direction, and have made: 24 surgical shirts, 24 sweaters, 12 shoulder wraps, 8 pair of socks, 23 mufflers, 5 helmets, 60 abdominal and T bandages.

It seems necessary to emphasize again that on Wednesday and Thursday of each week the Red Cross headquarters are at the November Club and that more workers are needed to increase the output of surgical dressings.

This is not a Club affair or an invitation affair, but an opportunity for everybody who can do this kind of work to help in a very substantial way.

Workers are required by the National Society to provide themselves with long-sleeved white aprons.

It is well to spend a certain amount of time, money and strength in bringing Christmas cheer to our boys in the army, but the fighting does not cease during the holiday season. We must not forget the pitiful plight they will be in if at some future time they find themselves in hospitals which are inadequately supplied with the dressings which their wounds require.

Remember that on Wednesdays and Thursdays the Red Cross flag at the November Club means YOU and the comfort you can bring to our boys in their dire necessity.

Small Local Fire

The Fire Department was called out Wednesday morning for a fire in a house situated on the corner of Lewis street and Buxton court. The house is occupied by Edward Lawrence and at the time of the alarm there was no member of the family in the house. The fire started in a bed in the front room in the second story, and there seemed to be no apparent cause for the fire. The furniture in the room was badly damaged by water, although chemicals were used to extinguish the fire.

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Abbot Academy Notes

The Abbot-Bradford hockey game was played at Bradford on Wednesday, Nov. 7, resulting in a score of 3 to 2 in favor of Bradford. It was a hard-fought game for both sides, and one of marked excellence in team work and good spirit. The players for Abbot were: Marion McPherson, 1918, Waban, captain; Dorothy Fairfield, 1918, Westfield; Julie Sherman, 1918, Winchester; Helen Vedder, 1920, Scholastic, N. Y.; Mary Kunkel, 1918, Harrisburg, Pa.; Avalita Howe, 1918, Marlboro; Mary Bushnell, 1920, Andover; Katherine Hamblet, 1919, Lawrence; Ethel Dixon, 1921, Lowell; Gladys Cole, 1919, Fall River; Martha Grace Miller, 1918, New-ark, Ohio.

Last Saturday afternoon, Miss Marguerite Sanderson of the Boston School of Physical Education spoke in Abbot Hall on "Posture." Her lecture was interesting and emphatic; and made vivid by numerous charts and photographs.

It was a great privilege to have the

Rev. Brewer Eddy at last Sunday evening's chapel service. The knowledge of his active and efficient work with the army through the Y.M.C.A. made him a particularly valuable speaker at this time. Next Sunday the Rev. Clark Carter will speak at the evening service.

An event of great interest to Andover as well as to Abbot itself is scheduled for Wednesday evening, December 5, when Charles Rann Kennedy and Mrs. Kennedy, better known as Edith Wynne Matthison, will read together Mr. Kennedy's recent play "The Rib of the Man."

Boys' Night at Men's Club

On next Sunday evening the Men's Club of the Free Church will observe "Boys' Night" when all boys between the ages of twelve and eighteen are cordially invited to be present. An entertainment and a few short talks will make up the program of the evening and refreshments will be served.

Boy Scouts' Banquet

A banquet and ladies' night will be held by Troop 1 of the local Boy Scouts of America in the Andover Guild house on December 7. All members of the troop in good standing will be eligible for admission. Dancing will be enjoyed. The members of the troop committee of the local council will be invited guests. Several mothers of the Boy Scouts will act as matrons.

The committees in charge are as follows:

General committee: Robert Deymond, Scout Master; Robert Partridge, Charles Dalton, Richard Carter, Austin Drew, Kenneth Coleman and Dow Hamblin.

Committee on decorating: Robert Partridge, Austin Drew and Kenneth Coleman.

OUR FINEST LOYALISTS

When this affair with the wild men of Berlin is over and we begin to distribute honors and rewards, something large and magnificent will have to be struck off for the Boy Scouts. They are somewhat overshadowed today by their elders, says the Detroit Journal, but their labors, eager and ungrudging are of high importance.

Is there to be parade? The Boy Scouts must be called out to guard the side lines and to help the police handle the crowds. Is there to be a patriotic meeting? Why, there you'll see the Scouts acting as ushers and keeping the entrances cleared. The youngsters not merely mark to weariness to further the Liberty loans, but they also hustle for subscriptions themselves. There are no more practical patriots, no Americans more through and through American.

It will be a problem to decide what to give the Scouts who are giving so greatly of their best. It cannot be anything small.

Free Church Missionary Program

The following program of meetings to be held by the Free Church Foreign Missionary Department during the season 1917-1918 will interest many.

Nov. 21.—Local Jubilee Meeting under the auspices of the Senior Endeavor, the Junior Endeavor, and the Foreign Missionary Department.

Dec. 13.—Regular meeting. Subject, Chapters 3 and 4 of "An African Trail." Leaders: Mrs. Mary E. Todd, Miss Fanny Brown. Hostess, Mrs. Joseph Smart. Music.

Jan. 10.—Regular meeting. Subject, Chapter 5 of "An African Trail." Leaders: Mrs. Frederick B. Goff, Mrs. Harry Ramsdell. Hostess, Mrs. F. A. Wilson. Music.

Feb. 14.—Regular meeting. Subject, Chapter 6 of "An African Trail." Leaders: Mrs. David Lindsay, Miss Abbie Davis. Hostess, Mrs. Theodore Dodge. Music.

Mar. 14.—Livingstone meeting. Leaders: Mrs. Milo H. Gould, Mrs. James Anderson. Hostess, Mrs. Mary E. Todd. Music.

Apr. 11.—Moffat meeting. Leaders: Mrs. F. A. Wilson, Miss Mary E. Carter. Hostess, Mrs. Joseph Smith. Music.

South Church Notes

The Men's Club has planned another meeting of its war series for Friday, the 16th, with Major Robert N. Davy as the speaker. Major Davy has been in the service several years and has traveled extensively before coming to Phillips Academy, in the work of training soldiers. His subject will be "Preparing an Army for Service in France."

The previous meeting of the club, with an intensely interesting speaker from the front, called out some regrets that the ladies should have missed so interesting an address. On Friday, the 16th, the meeting is cordially open to the ladies and it is hoped that many may attend.

There will be a delegation of South church women to attend the jubilee meeting of the Women's Board next Thursday in Boston, at the Park Street church. The fiftieth anniversary of this great women's work is to be celebrated Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, besides the pageant in Jordan Hall Monday and Tuesday.

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Report of Special Fund from October 1, 1916, to October 1, 1917

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Dear Sir:
I have to submit the following report covering funds received by me during the past season to help the women of Andover in their Red Cross work. The supplies and articles made up were sent to France and distributed through Mrs. Churchill. It has seemed unnecessary to print a full list of the donors, but I desire to express to them once more my personal thanks for their generosity in helping this work.

As all work of this kind is now under the charge of the Andover Chapter of the American Red Cross, I shall make no further collections on their behalf.

Yours very truly,
Signed ALFRED L. RIPLEY

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Balance from Preceding Year \$ 42.52
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I have audited this account and found it correct.
C. CARLETON KIMBALL

Overseers' Banquet

The Smith & Dove Overseers' Club held its first entertainment of the season last night in the form of a banquet. The tables were set in the dining-room of the Hillside House and the full membership was present to do justice to the splendid repast offered by Caterer Rhodes.

The guests of the evening were Charles H. Eames and Edgar H. Barker of the Lowell Textile School. Both received generous applause for their remarks were appreciated.

President John Nicoll was in the chair. He made the announcement regarding minors from the mill attending evening school in Lawrence, stating that those pupils who made a satisfactory showing in their studies would have their tuition fee refunded at the end of the term.

Henry A. Bodwell, superintendent, addressed the men for a few moments. He praised the Overseers' Club, saying that the organization was, and would be, a help to the Company. He called attention to the success this mill has had in working with raw material that had formerly been deemed only fit for cheap, coarse twine. Flax had been thought absolutely necessary for the grade of goods manufactured by the Smith & Dove Company. He urged the men of the club to endeavor to improve conditions and machinery around them and approved of the Suggestion Board in each department which had been spoken of.

President Nicoll then introduced Principal Eames, who spoke of the Lowell Textile School. He ran back over its history, and took up the work of the school from the time he had taken charge, telling how the different departments had been added as occasion demanded. He said the school depended not on advertising for its pupils but on the recommendation of its graduates and the results of their work in the mills and factories. They have had pupils from Mexico, China and Russia, besides the different states of this country.

Mr. Barker, who has charge of woolen and worsted yarns, was then introduced. He soon won the earnest attention of all present with his strong, captivating style. But it was as much the things he told as his manner that gained him the hearty approval of the audience. He spoke of every known fiber and how improvements had been made on the oldest known: how cotton waste can look like silk; of the lustre that can be imparted to ramie; of its strength, greater than hemp; of the many possible results that can come from this fibre; but he told also of how impracticable a fibre it is for commercial use. With the exception of flax, he knew the beginning of fibre spinning, but the greatest advance in yarn had been made within the last thirty-five years.

Music was furnished, and the dinner was pronounced by all a huge success. At the suggestion of Mr. Hughes, the names of Mr. Eames and Mr. Barker were added as honorary members. The gentlemen heartily concurring, the motion was unanimously accepted.

To Install Officers

Lodge Deputy George F. Tilton of Lowell, will install the newly elected officers of Ballardvale Lodge on Monday evening. A number of District Lodge officers will pay the local lodge an official visit on that evening. Refreshments will be served.

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Letter from Edward Wilson

The following letter has been received from Edward Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wilson of Whittier street, who is with the 6th Provisional Squadron, Kellyfield, San Antonio, Texas. October 30, 1917.

Dear Mother:—
Arrived here safely at 3.00 a.m., Monday. We had a hard ride; we started at 8.00 o'clock last Thursday morning and left the train here at 8.00 Monday. Some ride, alright. We landed just in the beginning of a sand storm. The sand clouds were so thick that you couldn't see ten feet ahead of you. It lasted all day and went down with the sun. The temperature dropped so that the standing water in the ditches was frozen in the morning. We have tents to sleep in here, ten men in a tent. We build fires inside and they keep us pretty warm. The air is very crisp here and the sun very hot in the day time. I think I will like it though, even though we do have bad storms. The camp is pretty near ten miles long and six miles wide and not a tree in it, just a level prairie dotted with tents.

We have all we want to eat and all good food and the best of cooks to prepare it. The moonlight here is wonderful; a clearer moon than you ever saw up north and never a cloud in the sky; you can easily read by it. The moon shows when the sun goes down and lasts till the sun gets up.

All you can see from here is plains. We passed through fifteen states coming down: Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware, District of Columbia, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas—some ride without getting out of the train, I guess. We got a good reception all the way until we struck Virginia. The Southerners hate the soldiers from the North.

I must close now; will tell you more later and send some pictures of the camp.

With love,
EDWARD WILSON
San Antonio, Texas.

Farewell Party to Mr. and Mrs. May

A farewell party was given to Mr. and Mrs. James May Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David R. Lawson, Wolcott avenue. The party was a genuine surprise, as they were enjoying a call at the Lawson home when a large number of friends and neighbors walked in upon them. Mr. Lawson, acting for those present, presented Mr. and Mrs. May with a handsome carving set. The following were present:—Mr. and Mrs. John L. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Moore, Mrs. John McCarthy, Miss Lillian McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buttrick, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Weeks, Dr. and Mrs. M. B. McTernan, Mr. and Mrs. William Donald, Mr. and Mrs. David May, Mr. and Mrs. David Lawson, and Mr. and Mrs. James May.

Mr. and Mrs. May leave soon for El Paso, Texas, visiting in Chicago and other places on the way.

Phillips Academy Notes

Major Davy started an officers' school last Friday evening. Instruction will be given by means of lectures, and the subjects will be musketry, bombing, gas attacks, and military law. About two hundred boys enrolled. The Academy football team won a decided victory over the Worcester Academy team by a score of 27 to 7.

The Worcester Cross-Country team also met defeat at the hands of the Phillips team. The first six places were won by Andover.

The first "movie" in the Peabody House last Saturday night, proved a grand success. The pictures were exceptionally good and excited the risibles of the boys.

The Thanksgiving Recess begins Wednesday November 28, at noon, and extends to Thursday, 7.30 p.m.

The Academy football team plays Yale Fresh at New Haven, to-morrow.

Rev. D. Brewer Eddy preached at both services in Stone Chapel last Sunday and gave a very interesting talk on the war before the Society of Inquiry in the evening.

The Academy football team began secret practice Wednesday afternoon under Coach Quinby, who is developing a fast team.

Lieutenant Morize of the French army will give an illustrated talk in the Stone chapel next Wednesday evening. As space is limited only students and those connected with the Academy will be admitted.

Andover Honor Students

The following local students attending Phillips Academy, secured honors as follows in the mid-term rating recently announced at Phillips academy. These names are in addition to those published in the Townsman last week.

Three Honors—George P. Temple, Algebra, Latin, French.
Two Honors—Hugh H. Spencer, French, Physics; Philip M. Stearns, Bible, English.
One Honor—Paul J. Abbott, Latin; Francis F. Adams, Algebra; Daniel Allen, English; Phillips G. Bergstrom, French; Donald K. Cameron, French; Abbott Chase, Algebra; Holbrook H. Dodge, Latin; Byron F. Feeney, German; Charles D. Stearns, French.

Advised Letters

Adams, Ethyl
Draper Hall
Everett, Rev. F. A.
Hall, Rev. Charles T.
Johnston, Thomas J.
Meek, James
Rosa, Mr. Edw.
Taylor, Mrs. J. W.
Tweedy, Edw.
Carleton, Hannah C.
Edwards, Mrs. George
Gropen, G.
Johnson, A. W.
Merrigan, Mrs. Rose
Rosa, Miss Hazel
Smith, Regina
Thomas, Mrs. Geo. B.
Whitman, James
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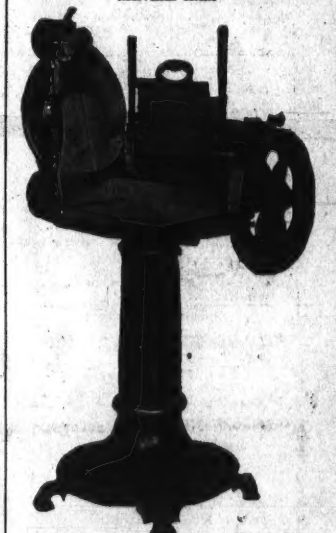
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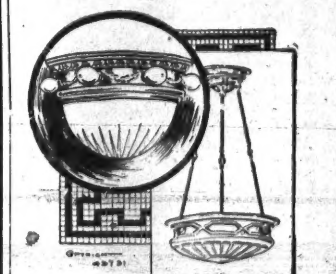
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ANDOVER CHURCHES



SERVICES FOR COMING WEEK

SOUTH CHURCH

Central Street
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Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, Minister

10.30. Morning service. Sermon by the minister.
12.00. Bible School session.
5.00. Junior Endeavor meeting.
6.30. Senior Endeavor meeting.
7.30. Union service at the Free church. Prof. Plummer on the Reformation.
7.45 Wednesday. Midweek service. Week of prayer for the Red Triangle.
2.15 Thursday. Sewing meeting.
8.00 Friday. Men's Club. Major Robert N. Davis, officer in charge of Phillips Academy Cadets, will speak. Women invited.
7.45 Saturday. Choir rehearsal.

WEST CHURCH

Congregational. Organized 1836

Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor

10.30. Public worship conducted by Rev. Herbert G. Mann of the United Church of Lawrence.
12.00. Sunday School.
7.00. C. E. meeting led by Jennie Burr.
7.45 Wednesday. Meeting for prayer and conference.
7.45 Friday. Service in Abbott District.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH

Emm Street

Roman Catholic. Organized 1850

Rev. Fr. Rjordan, Pastor

Assistants

Rev. William Donovan

Rev. Daniel J. Fogarty

6.30 Sunday. Mass and instruction.
8.30. Mass and instruction.
Sunday School to follow.
10.30. High mass and sermon.
2.45. Children of Mary Sodality meeting each Sunday.
3.30. Vespers, rosary, and benediction.
7.30 Thursday. Holy Hour devotion.
First Sunday of month. Communion day for Second Heart Sodality.
Second Sunday of month. Communion day for Knights of Good Counsel.
Third Sunday of month. Communion day for Holy Name Society.
Fourth Sunday of month. Communion day for Children of Mary.
Holy Name Society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.
Second Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.
Altar boys meet first Monday evening of each month.

FREE CHURCH

Emm Street

Congregational. Organized 1846

Rev. Frederick A. Wilson, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by Rev. Edward A. Chase of Beverly.
12.00. The Church School.
3.30. The Junior Endeavor Society.
6.30. The Senior Endeavor Society.
7.30. Lecture by Prof. J. W. Plattner of Andover Theological Seminary, Cambridge, on "Luther and the Reformation."
4.00 Tuesday. The Junior Choir rehearsal.
7.45 Tuesday. Monthly meeting of the Men's Club. "Boys' Night," with music, games, short addresses and stereoscopic pictures.
7.45 Wednesday. The mid-week prayer and conference meeting.
2.30 Thursday. Sewing meeting for the Red Cross in the ladies' parlor.
8.00 Thursday. Senior choir rehearsal.
7.45 Friday. Union meeting of Sunday School workers in the Free church parish house. Address by Prof. Walter S. Athearn of Boston University.

CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street

Episcopal. Organized 1835

Rector, Rev. C. W. Henry

9.00. Holy communion.
10.30. Morning prayer and sermon.
12.00. Church School.
5.00. Evening service and address.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Organized 1832

Rev. E. H. Prescott, Pastor

10.30. Morning service. Sermon by the pastor.
7.30. Union service at the Free church.
7.45 Wednesday. Evening service.

NORTH PARISH CHURCH

North Andover Centre

Unitarian. Organized 1845

Rev. Wm. S. Nichols, Minister

Electric cars from Elm Square connect at Wilson's Corner going both ways. Take car leaving Elm Square at 10.15 and transfer to North Andover. A cordial welcome to all.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL

"On the Hill"

10.30. Morning worship. Preacher, Very Rev. Edmund S. Roumaniere, D.D., of St. Paul's Cathedral, Boston.
5.15. Vespers. Speaker, Dr. Alfred E. Stearns.

NEWS OF ANDOVER SUBURBS

ABBOTT VILLAGE

Mrs. Blanche Allen of Red Spring road visited friends in Lowell Tuesday.

Mrs. Alex Ness of Red Spring road visited her husband at Camp Devens, Sunday.

Mary Winters of Cuba street has entered the employ of the Smith & Dove Company.

Mrs. Evalina Nichols of Pearson street has entered the employ of the Smith & Dove Company.

A regular meeting of the Indian Ridge Mothers' Club will be held in the Indian Ridge kindergarten room on Wednesday, November 14, at 3 o'clock. All mothers are cordially invited.

Alex Valentine of Essex street was seriously injured last Sunday when he was struck by an automobile in South Lawrence late in the afternoon. He was taken to the General Hospital where examination showed that he had sustained a broken ankle, a severe scalp wound, and several lacerations on the hands and arms. He was on the dangerous list for three days but is now doing as well as could be expected.

SUFFRAGE NEWS

The women citizens of New York State were given unlimited suffrage in yesterday's election by a majority which is expected to reach 100,000 when all election districts have completed their tabulations.—New York, Nov. 7.

"Over the top" is a phrase which the suffragists are using to describe their victory in New York State. It seems to be warranted. An amendment to the State constitution conferring unlimited suffrage on women has carried with a rush by a very large majority, even New York City having voted for it. This entirely removes the "mining camp" suggestion from the progress of woman suffrage in this country. It promotes the movement to the most prominent Eastern position.—Boston Transcript

The great victory for woman suffrage in the State of New York far outweighs in importance the defeat by referendum of the partial voting privilege granted by the Ohio Legislature last year. In the Empire State the prerogative is complete, and cannot be taken away.

New York voted for suffrage for many reasons, but not the least was the great influence exerted by President Wilson in expressing his approval of the movement. Furthermore, the responsible suffragists succeeded in convincing the voters that their repudiation of the silly picketers at Washington was sincere. And the women's campaign was admirably handled, in glaring contrast to the way the fight was made in Maine last summer.

The cause of suffrage has been enormously advanced by this triumph in New York.—Boston Post.

But the banner year for the movement has been the present one. North Dakota, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Nebraska and Rhode Island have granted women the right to vote for President. In Arkansas the women are not allowed to vote at elections, but there is no need of their going to that trouble. Elections do not count in that one-party State. The women can vote at the primaries, where office holders are really selected. To cap the year of suffrage prosperity, New York has given the women all they can desire in the way of political privilege. For the first time male voters east of the Missouri have said "yes" to votes for women. In other instances the Legislatures have rendered the decision.

At the Presidential election a year ago, 91 of the electors were chosen in part by feminine voters. To-day if there were a Presidential election, the women would matter in the case of 193 electors. By 1920 it is highly probable that suffrage States, if they are all on the same side, will be able to name the successor to Mr. Wilson.

Woman suffrage in the United States is part of a movement which is not confined to our own country, or even to North America. All Canada, except conservative Quebec and the unsettled Yukon and Northwest Territory, has it. The British Parliament has voted for women.

The votes of women have become important in the English-speaking world. Votes for all women in that civilization is as inevitable as the incoming of the tide.—Boston Globe

Company K of the 71st Infantry is stationed at Spartanburg. The New York soldier vote will have an influence on the State election and especially the proposed Amendments to the Constitution. In reference to the woman suffrage amendment a letter has been received at the headquarters of the New York Woman Suffrage party, a paragraph of which reads:

"Company K wishes to go on record that its every member is in favor of Woman Suffrage. We look forward to future women legislators to enact laws for the protection of the women we are leaving behind us and for the education of our children."

"We, red-blooded American citizens, representative soldiers of the United States, are willing to entrust at least an equal share of the destiny of the United States in the hands of the women who gave us birth, reared us and gave us to their country."

WEST PARISH

Mrs. Harry Wright is spending part of the week with friends in Rockport.

Last Sunday evening the Christian Endeavor meeting of the West Church was led by Richard Carter.

Mrs. William B. Corlies and daughter Wilma, have returned home after spending two weeks with relatives in Richmond, Vt.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hanson has recovered from an operation she underwent at the Lawrence General Hospital and has returned to her home on the River road.

Henry Phelps of the Aero Corps, now located in Oceanport, N. J., visited over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Phelps of High Plain road.

F. Kenneth Hardy of Dartmouth College, with his room-mate, W. O. Turner of Claremont, N. H., are spending the week-end with Mr. Hardy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardy.

Grange News

Next Tuesday evening at the grange meeting the first and second degrees will be conferred on eight candidates. The first degree work will be done by the regular officers, while the second degree will be conferred by the men's degree staff with Ralph Bailey, master.

ANTI-SUFFRAGE NOTES

Alice Stone Blackwell, sometimes called the gentle Alice, anticipating the defeat of woman suffrage in Ohio, wrote an explanation to the Boston Herald on November 2. Here are one or two interesting quotations:

To the Editor of Herald and Journal: Woman suffrage in presidential election was granted by the Ohio Legislature this year, under the clause of the United States constitution which says that the presidential electors in each State shall be chosen "in such manner as the Legislature thereof may direct." Ohio has the Initiative and Referendum, and the anti-suffragists started a referendum petition to repeal the law.

According to the Ohio papers, the petitions are "reeking with fraud." Long lists of signatures are in the same handwriting, and the names of legal voters have been padded out with the names of "cats, dogs and dead men." Out of the total of 964 signatures on the petitions from Cuyahoga, Scioto, Mahoning and Trumbull counties the courts threw out 865. The question will go upon the ballot next Tuesday, though there is every reason to believe that it has not been asked for by the required number of legal voters.

Examination shows that eight-tenths of the petitions were circulated by saloon keepers, bartenders and other men directly interested in maintaining the liquor business.

The following clipping from the Woman's Protest puts a different light on the question:

Ohio suffragists have been carrying on an almost unprecedented campaign of slander, even for suffragists, in their attempt to make the public believe that the thousands of signatures to the anti-suffrage petition for a referendum were obtained in dishonorable ways. They have done everything in their power to prevent the referendum, but they have failed. A dispatch to the New York Journal from Columbus, Ohio, on September 28, says: "Ohio's eighty-six county election boards were ordered to place the suffrage referendum on the November election ballot. Fulton announced sufficient signatures had been filed."

The Ohio anti-suffragists have put detectives on the case to trace the accusations of the suffragists that anti petitions were circulated by saloon men, and thus far have been unable to discover a single instance! These detectives, with a corps of men working under them, intend to stay on the trail of the suffragists and nail every lie which has been circulated by them. The suffragists were the first to support the referendum. Now they are endeavoring by every means in their power to tear it down. They are afraid to submit their cause to the will of the people, and have placed themselves on record in the State of Ohio as foes of democracy. The Prohibitionists who have a campaign this fall are shying as far away from the suffragists as possible. They won municipal suffrage in Columbus, by a five per cent vote of that city, by using imported women to make a house-to-house canvass, and by circulating vicious and false statements concerning the anti-suffragists. In spite of these facts, Ohio will again reject woman suffrage at the polls in November. The Ohio men are discussed.—Woman's Protest.

"Suffrage first" is still the cry of the suffragists, both militant and so-called conservative. Harriet Lees Laidlaw, vice-chairman of the New York Suffrage Party, says in the New York Times Magazine: "I say proudly that the Woman Suffrage party stands for suffrage first. The Socialists stand for Socialism first, the I. W. W.'s for revolution first, and these three groups, not one of which puts America first, are the most serious national menace confronting our country to-day."

To the Editor of the Press: Woman suffrage is of more importance than

BALLARDVALE

Anyone who wishes to donate yarn to the Tricolor Club, is requested to forward same to the secretary, Miss Barbara Hodgkins, Andover street.

Mrs. Frank H. Ball of Grand Lake Stream, Me., and Mrs. G. Barton of Winchester, have been the guests of Mrs. Lizzie Salmond, Andover street.

John H. Platt was one of the first pheasant hunters to find a bird. Others who have shot birds are Howard Colbath, Frank Cronin and Harry Wigley.

Those who attended the special service in the Emmanuel Primitive Methodist church of Methuen, held on last Sunday evening, report an exceptionally interesting meeting. Rev. Mr. Mason gave a very patriotic and practical temperance address.

Tickets are selling rapidly for the Congregational Ladies Aid Fair, which will be held on Wednesday evening, November 14, in Bradlee Hall. All the usual tables as well as several new and novel features will be in evidence. The public is very cordially invited to attend.

At a service of the Congregational church, Sunday forenoon, William Shaw presented the food saving problem in a very practical way. Pledge cards were distributed among those present on which weekly reports were to be made and the cards were sent to the stores of Poor and Riley, Roy M. Haynes, and Joseph B. Stott, where they will be collected and forwarded to the proper authorities.

A series of pleasant Sunday evenings, will be inaugurated at the Congregational church, Sunday evening, November 11, at 7.00 p.m., under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. William Shaw will give a series of around-the-world travel talks, illustrated with seventy beautifully colored slides, showing how "the other half" lives. The public is cordially invited. An offering will be taken for the work of the society.

prosperity, peace or war, of more importance than international relations or national defense; of more importance than commerce, revenue or U-boats, than tariff, taxes or transportation, of more importance than military or naval force.

All these are trivial compared with the right of 20,000,000 women to representation in Government. It makes but little difference to women what the form of Government is if they are unrepresented.

Dorothy Vossell

Washington, D. C.

The millennium has dawned. With women suffragists at the head, the war will soon end. Tammany is muzzled. Carrie Chapman Catt has already been proposed for next president of United States.

Good for New York! Congratulations. Tammany, Socialists, women suffrage. A grand combination! Mrs. Jams W. Wadsworth Jr., president of the National Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, said:

"If we are beaten in New York city we go down with good government, and consider ourselves in good company."

In New York at both the city and State suffrage headquarters scenes approaching hysteria were enacted as the women, both octogenarians and infants showered embraces, kisses and congratulations upon each other.

And in Boston the Globe says: A jubilee luncheon was given at the College Club at noon with Mrs. Maud Park, one of the Washington picketers, as the speaker. Mrs. Park represented the Massachusetts organization at the National Capital.

One of the speakers said: The appalling world disaster is making everyone realize that women are necessary as direct participants, that their labor and advice are essential. Of course neither labor nor advice could be given without the ballot.

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THE ELECTION IN ANDOVER

(Continued from Page 1)

received a total majority of 508 over Frederick W. Mansfield, Democratic candidate. The vote in Precinct 1 gave McCall 690; in Precinct 2, 69; total, 759. Mansfield, Precinct 1, 208; Precinct 2, 43; total, 251.

For Lieutenant Governor, Calvin Coolidge received a total of 754 in both precincts. James R. Teller, Republican and Democratic candidate for Senator in Fifth Essex District, polled 728 votes. Nesbit G. Gleason of Andover, the only local name on the ticket, received the large vote of 745 for representative in the Ninth Essex District. Archie N. Frost received 677 votes for the office of clerk of courts.

The amendment relative to absentee voting submitted by the Constitutional Convention was approved by a majority of 499 votes. The second article of amendment submitted by the Constitutional Convention, relative to appropriations for educational and benevolent purposes, was approved by a majority of 387.

The third article of amendment submitted by the Constitutional Convention, relative to the taking and distribution by the Commonwealth and its municipalities of the common necessities of life, was approved by a majority of 554 votes.

Andover's vote by precincts follows:

GOVERNOR	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Hayes, S. L.	9	0	9
Lawrence, P.	13	5	18
Mansfield, D.	208	45	251
McCall, R.	690	69	759
McCarthy, S.	20	4	24
Blanks	10	21	31

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Coolidge, R.	683	71	754
Hale, D. P., Prog.	184	38	222
McBride, S.	23	3	26
Oelcher, S. L.	8	1	9
Blanks	52	10	62

SECRETARY	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Brown, P.	36	5	41
Langtry, R.	653	66	719
Paulsen, S. L.	5	0	5
Reed, D.	176	38	214
Sproule, S.	27	4	31
Blanks	53	10	63

TREASURER	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Burrill, R.	662	69	731
Lovett, P.	21	4	25
Murphy, S.	23	4	27
O'Sullivan, D.	101	39	230
Peterson, S. L.	5	0	5
Blanks	48	7	55

AUDITOR	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Choquette, D.	173	36	209
Cook, R.	655	68	723
Craig, S. L.	4	0	4
Peck, S.	28	5	33
Smith, P.	4	21	25
Blanks	69	10	79

ATTORNEY-GENERAL	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Attwill, R.	662	71	733
Aucher, P.	8	5	13
Henry, S.	26	4	30
Maher, S. L.	5	1	6
Quincy, D.	180	35	215
Blanks	59	7	66

COUNCILLOR	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Clausen, S.	57	10	67
Tarr, R.	707	73	780
Blanks	186	40	226

SENATOR	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Bramhall, S.	52	10	62
Teller, R. D.	728	96	824
Blanks	170	17	187

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Gleason, R.	745	91	836
Blanks	205	32	237

COUNTY COMMISSIONER	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Kimball, R.	716	79	795
Spalding, S.	55	10	65

CLERK OF COURTS	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Tot.
Carens, D.	160	35	195
Frost, R.	677	68	745
Wetherbee, S.	31	5	36
Blanks	82	15	97

AMENDMENT NO. 1 (Absent Voting)	Yes	No	Blanks
Yes	599	75	674
No	151	24	175
Blanks	200	24	224

AMENDMENT NO. 2 (Anti-Aid Bill)	Yes	No	Blanks
Yes	613	59	672
No	233	52	285
Blanks	104	12	116

AMENDMENT NO. 3 (Distribution of Food)	Yes	No	Blanks
Yes	633	77	710
No	135	21	156
Blanks	182	25	207

Essex	28	19
Georgetown	57	173
Gloucester	431	1814
Groveland	85	215
Hamilton	44	165
Haverhill	1242	3251
Ipswich	121	402

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LAWRENCE

From Our Mother Town in England

As Miss Secretary Parker's notice of the annual meeting of the Historical Society in last week's *Townsmen*, contained reference to a letter from an antiquary in the English *Andover*, I am sure readers of the *Townsmen* who were not present at the meeting will be interested in some of the names he mentions as belonging to the two *Andovers*. The correspondence originated with the interchange of cordial letters between the Mayor of old *Andover*, and the "First Citizen" of our *Andover*, regarding the united interests of the towns in the great war. My request for possible information as to men of my name noted in Mr. Clutterbuck's pamphlet (on file at the historical rooms) brought the letter from Prof. Arthur C. Bennett, who is evidently quite at home in the early records of his town. He sent a recent publication of his own, a pamphlet history of the "Bell Inn" of his *Andover*. I quote a part of his letter, slightly abbreviated.

"Many years ago Mr. Clutterbuck communicated with your townfolk, and at that time published a letter in our newspaper, 'The Andover Advertiser', and doubtless the correspondent here was our anniversary historian, Albert Poor, Esq. He gave the date of your incorporation, and the first name of the town, *Cochichewick*. Also, that the original settlers contained the following persons: Joseph and Nathan Parker; Daniel and Thomas Poor; Thomas Chandler; John Frye; Henry Jacques; Richard Blake; George Abbot; Andrew Allen. The name of Russell occurs in our first register.

"You will find several or all of these names in Mr. Clutterbuck's book, and our first register pages are thickly sprinkled with them, and although they appear later on, most of them disappear for a space before 1620. Nearly every name is still with us. John Parker kept the Bell Inn, died 1618; Robert Parker, 1605; John Barker, 1626. James Poor was here 1594, etc.; John Chandler to 1627; John Frye till 1596; Robert Jakes 1590. Richard and other Blakes were all having families, 1596-1634. Some were farmers. For George Abbot, see Clutterbuck's book. Thomas Abbot was here from 1590, and onward; Simeon Allen from 1596.

"I send herewith a booklet containing references to early *Andover* which may be of interest to your Historical Society—the last of fifty copies printed, and I hope you will get it safely. I am writing some account of old matters here, as the plague, etc., in the *Andover Advertiser*, and when completed they will be published separately. If I hear from you, I will then send you a copy.

"With greetings, Yours faithfully,

"ARTHUR C. BENNETT"

It is very gratifying to have such a correspondent in our old mother-town, and we shall be glad to get his other book in due time. As already noted in the *Townsmen*, Professor Bennett was unanimously elected an honorary member of the *Andover Historical Society*—the only one upon whom that honor has been conferred, except our own *Andover* genealogist, Miss Abbott ("C.H.A.") I am grateful to add that Professor Bennett found on the old *Andover* register the date of death, 1641, of William Carpenter, presumably the father of my emigrant ancestors, who, being exiles from their home in London, hailed temporarily from a small hamlet near *Andover*, when they sailed for the new world in 1638—from Southampton. Unfortunately they did not land in *Andover*, but in Weymouth, their company afterward founding Rehoboth! Our fellow citizen, Mr. N. E. Bartlett, in his annual business trip to England, says he has been in the vicinity of old *Andover*, and thinks he will later visit the old town itself. He would surely pick up some old books of interest!

C.C.C.

Lady of House—Why don't you go to work for a living?
Lazy Luke—Well, lady, I want ter give everyting else a fair trial first.

TO MEET IN NEW BUILDING

The Andover Village Improvement Society Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of The Andover Village Improvement Society will be held in the lecture room of the new Pynchard school, Monday evening, November 12, 1917, at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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A Canadian soldier, whose name must be kept secret and who is a prisoner in Germany, has succeeded in getting by the German censors to his sister in Boston information as to his condition. He wrote: "If Mackenzie doesn't come soon Slaton will get us." Mackenzie is the baker in his home town; Slaton is the undertaker.—Ex.

FROM THE BOYS IN FRANCE

The *Townsmen* will publish from week to week, any letters received from the boys who are serving either in the United States Army or Navy.

JAMES DICK

Somewhere at Sea
Sept. 30/1917.

On board the U.S.S.—

To all at home—

Well, we are just a week on the water, and so far it has been a good trip, and I have enjoyed every minute of it, although there are lots of the boys that can't say that. Some of them were sick from the time we sailed until Friday. The first two days out were terrible, the waves were breaking right over the deck, but now it is great, just like going down Boston Harbor, only we don't see any land.

We have it pretty soft on the boat, nothing to do but lie around. I think that we will all be so lazy that we won't be able to stretch a leg when we get off.

I have been on submarine watch since we left port and it is a great job. We do two hours on and six off, so it is only three times in twenty-four hours that we are on duty. The hardest two hours are from two till four in the morning. It is cold and dark, but we get coffee before we go on duty. There are two men on every post, one on the look-out, and one at the telephone, and there are five men in each crew's nest. I was up in the nest one night, and believe me, it is a job that I don't like; I much prefer to be on deck. We expect to reach the danger zone next Tuesday or Wednesday, and then I imagine the watch will be doubled.

Saw a sailor fall overboard from one of the cruisers last Tuesday morning, and another one jump in after him, and believe me, they had some time getting them aboard. There was a heavy sea on and they had a hard time of it.

We are having a band concert on board this afternoon and it seems just like *Boxford*, only the conditions are not as good as they were there. We are getting awful poor food and very little at that. Believe me, I would give a whole lot for some home-made food. Our sleeping quarters are not so very bad; the bunks are in tiers of three and I have a middle one, and I am in the upper sleeping deck, and there is much better air there than below.

Thursday, October 4. We are nearing the end of the voyage and I expect the most dangerous part of it, but we are well protected. Since Tuesday we have had to wear life belts at all times, and keep our canteens full of water at all times.

We have boat drill every afternoon, so we will know just what to do in case we are told to take to the boats. We have been shifting our time so much every day, about half an hour at a time, but yesterday we made a jump of one hour and ten minutes, and I was told that it was on account of the daylight saving plan that they had adopted over here. Since then we haven't altered our watches, so they are now European time. It is almost 9.30 so I am going to get ready for going on watch at ten; will write some more after dinner.

Well, I have made up my mind and will sleep with my clothes on to-night because I think that it will be our last night on board this good old boat, and I have enjoyed every minute of it except at meal time, and then I didn't get enough to eat.

We have sighted several ships the last day or two, but they were neutral so they were not bothered. We haven't seen a sign of a submarine.

I am going to cable just as soon as I land, and no doubt you will get it before this letter and it will relieve your mind a lot.

I understand that we are only going to be allowed to cable "Am well," but that will signify everything. Now don't do any worrying about me, because I am O. K. Remember me to all my friends.

Love to all,

JIM

Somewhere in France
October 10, 1917.

Dear Bill—

Just a few lines to let you know that I am well and happy and hope that you are the same.

We have been here a few days now and I can't tell the difference between this and the States. The grass is just as green as at home, and the birds don't fly backwards either. We are in a very pretty place and our camp is in a good location; where it is, I am not allowed to say. Coming into port we went past a shore line that can't be equaled anywhere, where on the other side of the ocean; it was wonderful. I will be able to tell you about it when we get back.

There are lots of signs of the sufferings of war in this town, and almost every woman is in mourning for some one lost at the front. The women and old men do all the work on the farms and there is lots of it to do. They are working in the fields at this late date. There isn't any winter here, but they have a wet season, and it has started, and believe me, it is a cold rain.

Wood and drinking water are awful scarce here. We are only allowed a few sticks of wood a day for our kitchen and there isn't such a thing as a fence between lots. We can't take a bath or wash our clothes only on certain days, and at that there has to be eight men taking a shower at the same time or else the water won't be turned on.

We had a wonderful trip over; I wasn't sick a day. I could write a book about what I have seen, Bill, but the censor would get it first and you would never see it, so what's the use. I am going to write a few lines to Phil Hardy before I turn in. Remember me to Billy Higgins and the rest of the boys, and also to the school boys that I knew. Hoping that your business is good, I am.

Sincerely yours,

JIMMIE

GEORGE M. COLLINS

Somewhere in France
Oct. 18, 1917

Dear Mother,—

Received your letter and was glad to hear from you and hope you will write each week or more often than that if you have time, as I think you will since you don't have to think up meals for me like you used to.

Everett and I are feeling fine and everything is all right, and I have put on more weight since coming abroad. Glad to hear that you and Pa are feeling well, and also Aunt Bell. We both think of the people back home very often. Joe Daley got a letter from his mother this morning and he was glad to receive one from home. Pretty nearly all the boys have got news, and Harry Hilton got a picture of the boys that went to Ayer with the Draft Army.

You said if we needed anything, to write home to you. Well, the only thing is some cigarettes, as we cannot get American ones over here; so you can send them over.

Ma, I wish you could see the country over here; it is beautiful. The grass is still green and it is very healthy.

I suppose by the next time you get a letter from me you will be thinking of Christmas. It won't make much difference to us when it comes, because we cannot send much of anything home, but hope you people don't forget the boys over here if the *Andover* people are going to send stuff over.

Well, Mother, will close, hoping to hear from you very soon.

CORP. GEO. M. COLLINS

HERBERT W. AUTY

Somewhere in France
October 17, 1917.

Dear —

All the boys seem to be in good spirits after our trip across the briny deep.

The temperature of France seems to be about the same as that of America, although it has rained every day since we arrived. Got a good welcome at the port with everybody cheering and throwing different kinds of fruit and lunches up to the boys.

I never seemed to realize what war really was and now I probably don't realize it enough. It certainly must be awful hard for the people over here, and if people in the States only knew of conditions they would be more careful at home. The people here seem to be very considerate and even if they don't understand our language they try to use us the best way they know how.

Men are very scarce and the only ones you see are old men doing guard duty. Quite a few German prisoners working and boys too small and young to fight for their country.

Have only seen about five automobiles outside of army trucks and ambulances since arriving.

The houses are quite different from those at home. Everything is built of stone or brick, wooden houses lacking altogether. The streets are mostly paved, being very narrow. Wagons are mostly large, heavy two-wheeled affairs and seem to be very ancient in design. Horses are another thing that are very scarce.

The children for the most part are dressed in half length stockings and clog shoes. Women are mostly dressed in black, and wear little white caps with a shawl thrown over their shoulders.

They took us for a short hike yesterday. On our way we witnessed a French wedding. Everybody walked in double file down the street with the bride and groom in the center. The fellow, I guess, was home from the front on a furlough. The bride was dressed in a very simple gown and they all walked along singing.

The New York Herald prints a paper here in English and we get a little (mighty little) news by that. The soldiers for the most part are held down pretty well and passes are few and far between. Saw several *Andover* boys in port, when we were there. There was some "Ross fellow, one by the name of Shevlin, and another I think, Strout, by name.

Since we left dear old U. S., our meals have been rather poor and broken, but I imagine in time things will get settled and the food will get better.

HERBERT W. AUTY

History of the Alphabet

No one really knows all about where the alphabet came from, because it grew very slowly, like children and every other good thing in the world. But we know quite well that no ingenious man sat down and made the alphabet, and we know quite well, too, that the alphabet began as pictures.

Just as a child reads or takes things in by pictures long before it can read letters, so men used to read and write by pictures; and then these pictures were gradually made simpler and simpler, until at last they could be used in every and any way, as our letters can.

We know that the letter O was at first the picture of an eye, and that gradually men made the picture plainer, until at last they drew an O. The letter I was once a picture of a house; and very likely a capital A may have been at first the picture of a pyramid.

Ages and ages ago in Egypt men used both hands in writing. The priests used the oldest kind, which was the pictures. This was called the sacred writing. But the ordinary people used a different and new kind of writing, in which the pictures were turned into letters.

Not very many years ago men tried in vain to read the old sacred picture writing of the Egyptians, but they could not. Then they found the wonderful Rosetta stone, and this had written upon it the same thing three times—once in the pictures and once in the letters and also once in other letters and so men got the key to picture writing, and now it can be read easily.—*Kansas City Star*

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Rev. A. H. Fuller, Pastor
10.30. Worship with sermon by the Pastor. Sunday School to follow.
7.00. Illustrated lecture by Dr. William Shaw under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.
7.30. Thursday. Prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Rev. F. A. Everett, Pastor
10.30. Worship with sermon by Pastor. Topic: "Bear ye one another's burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ." Sunday School to follow.
6.15. Epworth League.
7.00. Praise service with address by Pastor. Topic: "Christ knocking at the door."
7.30. Thursday. Prayer meeting.

Rev. F. A. Everett was recently called to assist at the funeral of Henry Ginn of Bay View, Gloucester. The deceased was superintendent of the Sunday School in one of Mr. Everett's former parishes.

Next Sunday, November 11, in the Methodist churches, will be devoted to Conference claimants and each Methodist pastor in the Lynn and Boston districts, will preach a sermon on that subject on that day.

Mrs. F. A. Everett is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. M. F. Brown, wife of the well-known Y.M.C.A. Secretary, of Gloucester. The many friends of Mr. Brown will be glad to learn that he has been offered the secretaryship of the Y.M.C.A. of Somerville, one of the largest and most important positions of its kind in the State, and that he has accepted the position and will enter upon his new duties in the near future. This new and large opportunity for usefulness is the direct result of Mr. Brown's very successful work during the past five years as secretary of the Y.M.C.A. of Gloucester.

The annual fair and entertainment of the Congregational Ladies' Aid Society, will be held in Bradlee hall, on Wednesday, November 14. The usual attractive and useful articles will be on sale at the several tables. Home made candy, home bakery goods, peanuts and icecream, as well as a quantity of mysterious articles will be on sale. The entertainment will consist of piano solos, violin solos, motion songs, singing by a quartet, and readings by Miss Josephine Barlow, a talented reader of Methuen. Admission: adults, 15 cents; children, 10 cents. The public is very cordially invited to attend.

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send a portion of this to Chaplain Stackpole to be used for Christmas dinners for the Andover soldiers of the American Expeditionary Forces overseas. Money for the same purpose will also be sent the Lawrence Battery and Infantry. This matter was brought to the attention of the mothers through a letter sent to the armorer of Lawrence by a lieutenant of the 101st U. S. Infantry, which was read at the meeting.

It was voted to purchase a picture for the office of the Superintendent of Schools in the new high school building. A social time followed and tea and cake and sandwiches were served by Mrs. James Feeney, Mrs. Edward Cole, Mrs. John Ralph, Mrs. P. W. Partridge, Mrs. Margaret Wicken, Mrs. Carl Elander, Mrs. Otis Keith, Mrs. Frank Foster, Mrs. B. M. Allen, and Mrs. Charles Buchan.

The little lads from England, Morris and Walter Ahern, remarked that they were not allowed to have frosting on their cake in England, and they were told that hereafter the Mothers Club would give up this luxury in order to carry out the request of the United States Food Administrator in the Home Card which the Mothers' Club has helped in distributing, together with the food pledge cards.

There will be a sewing meeting at the Andover Guild next Monday to continue sewing on the blanket garments for the open-air schoolroom. All interested in helping are cordially invited from 2 to 5 o'clock, November 11.

The Whole German Position

The Kaiser ignores the question of right and wrong; it is with him merely a question of strength. This is the whole German position. There is nothing to debate about Alsace-Lorraine, to his mind, and there is nothing to debate about Belgium, except the question of the relative physical power of Germany and the Allies to take and hold them. If it can be shown to the Kaiser and his accomplices that he cannot hold Alsace, or Belgium, or Istria, or Serbia, then he can see the logic of giving them up; but to tell him that he must give them up because he has no right to them is to waste words the meaning of which he does not understand.

The peace terms of Germany are: "We shall hold what we have got, unless you can take it away from us." The mask could not be lifted that was supposed to conceal the German terms, because there are no German terms but German victory. Germany means to hold on to what she has got, by whatever means she got it, unless it is proved to her that she cannot. Under pressure, she might consent to restore a nominal independence to Belgium and some of the other stolen territories, but this independence would be only nominal; she would not part with her rule over them unless it was forced out of her hand. The Allies are willing to meet Germany on this ground. They have from the first shown a clear comprehension of the fact that if they wish to release the stolen peoples they will be obliged, as the Kaiser says, to come and take them. That is their intention.—New York Times

It is Never Too Late

Take heart and begin again. As Kipling says, "there is for you nothing irremediable, nothing ineffaceable, nothing irrecoverable in anything you may have said or thought or done." There is no past so black or so bitter that it cannot be redeemed. "Though thy sins are as scarlet they shall be made whiter than snow."

There is no better time to have a mental house cleaning than now. It is a good time to get rid of the rubbish that has so long been a handicap. Don't pull along with you through the door of the present all the miserable, black, painful things that worried you, devitalized you, marred your success and your happiness in the past. Shut all of these horrid ghosts out behind the closed door of your past life.

Take across the threshold of the new day only those things that can help you, the friends of your success and your happiness; take only the pleasant memories, the helpful thoughts and suggestions with you. Leave all the others behind. Bury all your skeletons so deep that they can never come to live with you again.

Say to them: "You miserable devils, you have dogged my steps, hindered my progress, destroyed my peace of mind and strangled my efficiency long enough. I will have nothing more to do with you. I am God's child, and I was not made to be hounded by these enemies, who are trying to thwart my ambition and to dwarf my career by devitalizing me and then cutting down my efficiency."—Dr. Orison Swett Marden in Nautilus Magazine.

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"Why in the world—"

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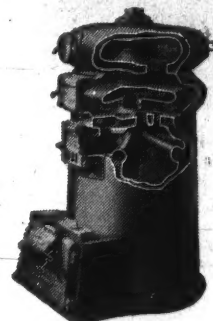
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